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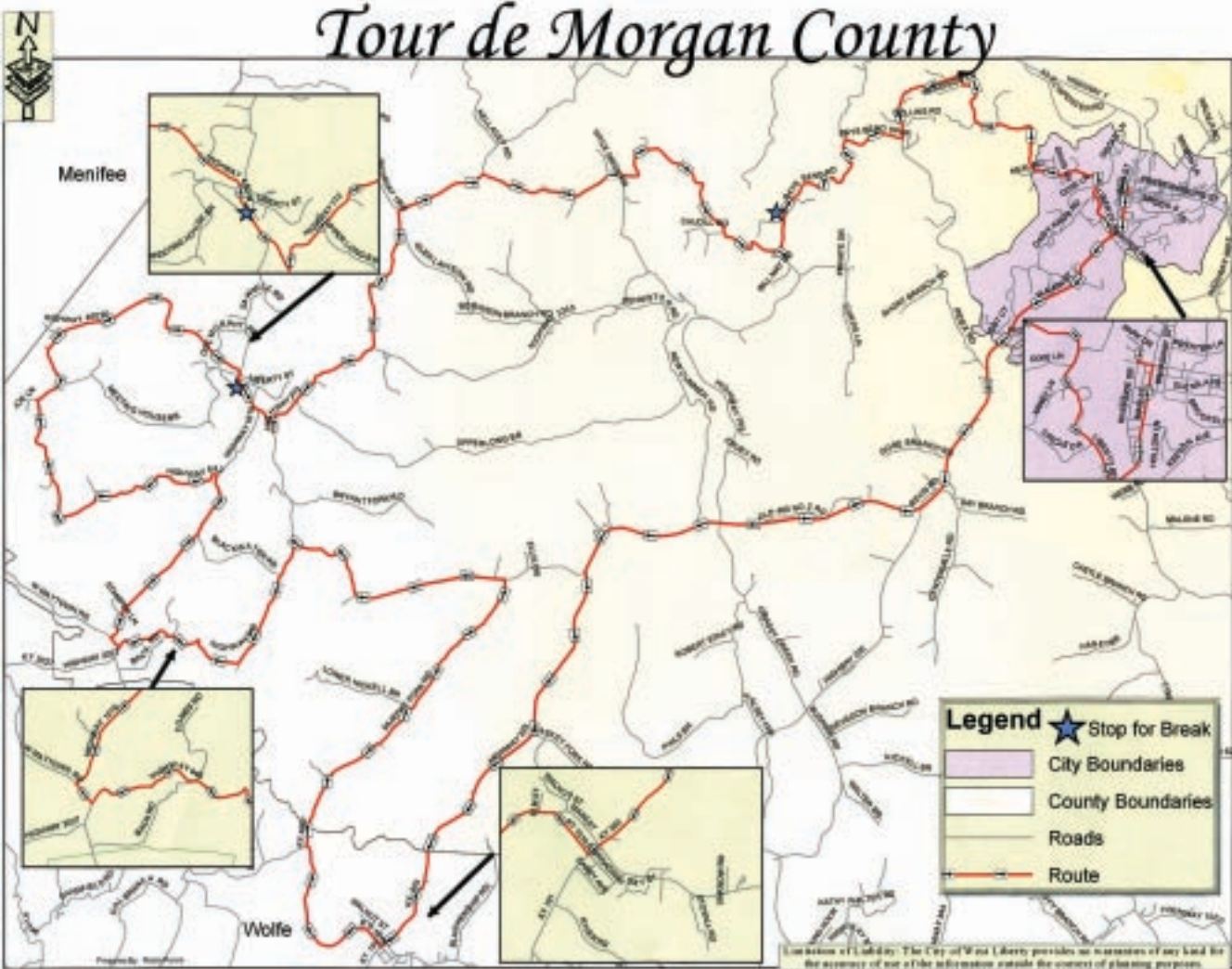
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Tour de Morgan County

\$1,000.00 Classic Car Dice Run scheduled Saturday, June 17th

A three-hour, 55 mile tour of north-western Morgan County by old classic automobiles (1989 models and older) will be a project of the West Liberty Kiwanis Club and the West Liberty Tourism Commission. This year, the club has decided to change its annual car show to a tour of scenic Morgan County. The annual Kiwanis/West Liberty Tourism Commission Motorcycle Dice Run will be later in the year.

The Tour de Morgan County Dice Run will be held Saturday, June 17, and will start and end at the Tredway Kiwanis Park, with cars and trucks on display from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. The dice run will begin at the park around noon, and will travel through the Grassy Creek, Murphy Fork, Maytown, Pine Grove, Ezel, and Woodsbend areas. The three-hour drive will cover some of the more scenic parts of Morgan County (each year a different route will be chosen), with refreshment and rest stops at Ezel and Woodsbend along the way.

A fee of \$25 per car will be charged for a chance to win \$1,000 in prize

money from three dice rolls. Additional riders may participate (maximum of 4) by paying a \$25 entry fee. Only 1989 and older cars and trucks will be eligible.

The purpose of the event is twofold: to raise funds for children's projects by the West Liberty Kiwanis Club (this year's project is a skateboard park), and to show off scenic Morgan County.

Besides local old car enthusiasts, contact is being made with car clubs in the Huntington-Ashland area, Lexington, Somerset, and surrounding counties.

For information, call West Liberty Tourism at 606-743-3330, or the Morgan County Judge Executive's Office at 606-743-3897.

Directions for Tour de Morgan County

1. Start out at Tredway Kiwanis Park (first dice roll);
2. Turn left onto Highway 460 West and left at second stop light (Main St.);
3. Turn left onto Highway 203 to Hazel Green;
4. Turn right onto Highway 1010;
5. Turn right onto Murphy Fork;

6. Turn left onto Highway 460 West toward Ezel;
7. Turn left onto Highway 946;
8. Turn right onto Highway 1010;
9. Turn left onto Highway 882;
10. Turn right onto Highway 460 West;
11. Stop at Frosty Freeze for break;
12. Turn left onto Highway 772;
13. Turn right onto Highway 705;
14. Turn left onto Bays Bend Road;
15. Break at Woodsbend Boys' Camp (2nd dice roll);
16. Turn right onto Highway 2498 (Liberty Road);
17. Turn left onto Highway 460 West;
18. End back at Tredway Kiwanis Park (3rd dice roll).

In the event of a tie, \$1,000 will be divided among winners. If all winners agree, dice roll can continue until a winner is established.

A police escort will accompany the tour and an official pace car will lead the tour.

Tour de Morgan County will take place regardless of weather conditions.

Defendants enter guilty pleas in murder, drug trafficking cases

Eleven defendants pleaded guilty to felony charges at the May term of Morgan Circuit Court. They were:

Sheldon Sargent, 42, of Grayson pleaded guilty to 2nd degree manslaughter and received a recommended sentence of 10 years in prison. Sargent was charged with the April 16, 2005, shooting death of his brother, Gregory L. Sargent, following an argument at Gregory Sargent's residence on Duck Creek.

Three defendants pleaded guilty to drug trafficking charges. They were:

Charles Freddie Endicott, 24, Highway 205, West Liberty pleaded guilty to three separate counts of trafficking in a

controlled in return for a recommended sentence of nine years in the penitentiary to be served concurrently. Three additional counts of trafficking in marijuana, less than 8 ounces, were dismissed.

Alisia M. Owen, 31, of Louisville, pleaded guilty to 1st degree promoting contraband into Eastern Kentucky Complex and received a recommended two-year sentence.

Harold G. Pennington, 54, of Malone pleaded guilty to three counts of 1st degree trafficking in a controlled substance (cocaine). The Commonwealth recommended that he be sen-

tenced to seven years in the penitentiary on each count, to be served concurrently.

Other guilty pleas entered included: Scotty Cantrell, who was charged with 1st degree rape, pleaded guilty to an amended charge of unlawful transaction with a minor. He was ordered to be placed on probation and to pay a fine of \$1,000 and supervision fees of \$1,800.

Jennifer Taylor, charged with 1st degree sexual abuse, pleaded to an amended charge of facilitation of sexual abuse 1st degree. She was meted a 12-month sentence, probated for two years.

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Annual Relay for Life set June 16 at Horse Park on Liberty Road

Special form to order luminaria included in this week's paper

Morgan Countians can join the fight against cancer in a fun way on Friday, June 16, the date for this year's annual Relay for Life. The event will be held at the Morgan County Equestrian Park on Liberty Road beginning at 6:00 p.m. and will continue through 6:00 a.m. on Saturday.

Teams of people from throughout the county will take turns walking or running around the track to help raise funds to combat cancer. The teams represent local businesses, churches, clubs, organizations and families. While the walking and running is noncompetitive, between their relays, teams will compete in games and activities in the infield, enjoy food, music, and camaraderie while camping out for the night.

At dusk, all participants will share in a special luminaria ceremony to remember family members and friends who have been affected by cancer. Candles will be lit in honor or memory of cancer patients and placed around the perimeter of the walking track.

The event is sponsored by the local chapter of the American Cancer Society. Everyone is invited to come out and enjoy the camaraderie and do their bit to help researchers in their efforts to find a cure for this disease that has touched



nearly every family.

Morgan Countians who wish to join the fight against cancer are invited to order a luminaria in honor of a loved one who has been touched by cancer. They can be purchased at the event or by filling out a special form, published elsewhere in this edition. The cost is \$5.00 for each luminaria. Simply enclose your check and mail it to the address on the special form.

Eleven teams have signed to participate in this year's event: Morgan County ARH, Citizens Bank, Commercial Bank, the Conley Family, Gateway Community Services, the Holbrook Family, Lacy Creek Church of Christ, Mountain Telephone, the Stacy Family, and the Stauffer Family.

Joining the Cancer Society as local sponsors are: Bank of the Mountains, City of West Liberty, Commercial Bank, See RELAY Page 2

51 vets awarded high school diplomas here

An overflow crowd of over 500 people attended a special ceremony at the MSU West Liberty Campus on Memorial Day to witness the presentation of high school diplomas to Morgan County veterans who left their high school studies before receiving a diploma to serve their country in three wars.

Sponsored by Morgan County DAV Chapter 132, the Morgan County Judge Executive's Office, and the Morgan County Board of Education, the event featured the awarding of high school diplomas to 51 veterans — all attired in

traditional caps and gowns — as their family members, and friends — many from distant states — looked on.

Following a presentation of the colors by members of the DAV Honor Guard and recitation of the Pledge to the Flag, the program was opened by DAV Chaplain Paul Henry, who introduced Judge Executive Tim Conley, who gave the welcome.

The program included songs by vocalist Aeriell Frederick, who sang "American Christian" and "God Bless

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Flag Day June 14



OUR FLAG

By Henry Ward Beecher

In 1777, within a few days of one year after the Declaration of Independence, the Congress of the Colonies assembled and ordained this glorious national flag which we now hold and defend, and advanced it full high, before God and all me, as the flag of liberty.

It was no holiday flag, emblazoned for gayety or vanity. It was a solemn national signal. When that banner first unrolled to the sun it was the symbol of all those holy truths and purposes which brought together the Colonial American Congress. Our flag means, then, all that the Constitution of our people, organizing for justice, for liberty, and for happiness, meant. Our flag carries American ideas, American history, and American feelings. Beginning with the colonies and coming down to our time, in its sacred heraldry, in its glorious insignia, it has gathered and stored chiefly this supreme idea — divine right of liberty in man. Every color means liberty; every thread means liberty; every form of star and beam, or stripe of light, means liberty; but organized institutional liberty — liberty through law, and laws for liberty.

Submitted by Carol Finch Adkins
Flag Day is June 14.

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Bluegrass Strangers, Cumberland Highlanders to head Old Mill Fest

The eleventh annual Old Mill Bluegrass Festival is just weeks away. A great lineup of bluegrass entertainment has been scheduled for this year's festival, July 8 and 9, in West Liberty.

Among the bands headlining Saturday's festivities are the Bluegrass Strangers, from Garrison, Ky., and the Cumberland Highlanders, from RFD-TV.

Formed in 1976, the Bluegrass Strangers are celebrating 30 years of bluegrass music. Jimmy Monroe Lykins, of Garrison, heads up the group. Brian Wayne Tackett, native of Lewis County, is the newest member of the band; banjo player, Richard William Webb, of Portsmouth, Ohio, Jamie Brooks Shannon, of Louisa, mandolin player, and Dean Whitaker, of Ashland, playing bass, completes the group. Archie Duncan and Wendy Webb are in charge of the sound for the Strangers.

Their latest CD, "Going Home To Tennessee", includes guests, Russell Moore and Ray Deaton, of III Tyme Out.

Elliott County native, Wayne Lewis, and Campbell Mercer, of near London, Ky., co-hosts of The Cumberland Highlanders' Show on RFD-TV, and other Cumberland Highlanders' members will be on stage for two great



The Bluegrass Strangers

shows on Saturday.

Mr. Lewis sang lead and played guitar with the Father of Bluegrass, the late, great Bill Monroe, for 11 years. Wayne is on 12 of Mr. Monroe's albums, and has produced a number of his own recordings. He currently plays guitar and sings lead vocals for The Cumberland Highlanders and The Wayne Lewis Band.

Mr. Mercer, who is producer of The Cumberland Highlanders' Show, is making arrangements to tape the Old Mill Festival.

These great bands, along with

The Dillards, Jesse McReynolds, and several local groups will delight bluegrass music enthusiasts during the two-day event.

In addition to great bluegrass music there will be a Bluegrass Bus Museum, containing memorabilia from bluegrass artists dating back to the 1930s. The bus is owned by Don Clark and will be at the Old Mill Park both days of the festival.

Make plans now to attend the 11th annual Old Mill Bluegrass Festival in West Liberty's Old Mill Park.



DAVA at Memorial Day Ceremony

Disabled American Veterans Auxillary members are pictured above serving food at the Memorial Day ceremony at West Liberty Memorial Gardens and Mausoleum. The Auxillary would like to extend special thanks to Morgan County DAV Chapter 132, Judge Executive Tim Conley, Dr. C. C. Smith, and Mr. Rick Burroughs. For more information on becoming an Auxillary member, contact Benita Akers, DAVA Commander, at 743-2705, or Judy Elam, DAVA Adjutant, at 743-7920. Auxillary members pictured above from left are Emily Bolin, Benita Akers, Ilene Baker, Venus Henry, and Judy Elam.

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— Agree or Not —

Raising Campaign Funds Looking Grim For Fletcher

By Todd Duval

The 2007 gubernatorial campaign began last week — the Republican campaign, anyway — and anyone who does not think it will be fascinating to watch has been hiding out at the bottom of Mammoth Cave the last year or so.

A week before Gov. Ernie Fletcher is scheduled to be arraigned in Franklin District Court on misdemeanor charges involving state personnel abuses, Lt. Gov. Steve Pence announced he will not be on the ticket with Fletcher in the governor's re-election campaign next year. Pence is also resigning as secretary of the state justice cabinet.

Pence's bailout could not have come at a worse time for Fletcher. It also is an indication of how far Fletcher has fallen with the leadership of the Kentucky Republican Party since Attorney General Greg Stumbo opened his investigation of personnel abuses more than a year ago.

The string of 13 special grand jury indictments of top Fletcher aides and appointees kicked the legs out from under Fletcher as the white knight to come to Frankfort to clean up the messes of Democratic corruption and abuse.

Fletcher's subsequent pardon of those indicted and anyone else who might be charged with breaching state merit system laws only reinforced the notion that something must be pretty rotten if the governor had to go to such an extreme to protect his people from defending themselves in court.

Now it is Fletcher, the only one not covered by the blanket pardon, who must go before a judge and jury and explain what almost certainly amounts to a mountain of evidence collected by prosecutors that led the grand jury to indict the governor.

He will have the best defense money can buy, of course, but the protracted pre-trial process and then the trail itself will be an unprecedented embarrassment to Fletcher and the party officials who put him in the governor's mansion.

All of this will be playing out

on the eve of Fletcher's state intent to ask the voters for a second four-year term as governor.

Now he will have to do that without Pence, who has not been touched by the personnel scandal but, as a tough former prosecutor himself, must have been affronted that a special grand jury was doing an investigation that should have initiated within his own justice cabinet.

Pence said last week he does not plan to be on any statewide ticket in 2007, but...

Anything, of course, can happen to change that plan. Party leaders convinced that Fletcher has no chance at re-election can be awfully persuasive. And they can bring with them commitments to the kind of money necessary to run a successful primary campaign and then a successful general election campaign against a Democratic ticket determined to regain power in Frankfort.

But Pence would have his own baggage to carry into 2007. He is forever connected to the Fletcher-Pence administration and his opponents will capitalize on that association. His resignation as justice cabinet secretary means he will collect about \$150,000 a year in salary and benefits as lieutenant governor without having anything to do, a fact that Democrats are already pointing out gleefully.

As for Fletcher, he now has the task of beginning fundraising for 2007 all over again, since he probably will have to give up money raised for a Fletcher-Pence slate. He has to find someone to replace Pence, and so far there has been no evidence of stampede of Republicans prepared in all probability to fall on their swords for the good of the party.

With the days ticking down to his criminal arraignment, with his lieutenant governor abandoning ship and not endorsing his re-election, and with both Republican United States Senators thunderingly silent, what does Fletcher do?

He departs for a Florida vacation?

Somehow, that is just not surprising.

Letters

A TOUCHING TRIBUTE

Dear Earl,

While in Morgan County for the Memorial Day holiday I read Tony Adkin's Memorial Day tribute to his best friend, Pfc. Ralph Paul Terry. After reading that remarkable and touching story I felt I had to comment.

When you are young, carefree, and naïve to the ways of the world some wonderful friendship can be formed that withstand the rigors of time. You don't have to read very far into Tony's article to feel that special camaraderie that is reserved only for best friends, that withstood the test of time.

Tony sure did a wonderful job telling his story. It connects all of the dots from the exuberance of carefree youthfulness, to the respect and compassion felt for a special friend lost to the tragedy of war. Tony has written and published a lasting tribute to honor his true friend, Ralph Paul Terry.

It has been said... a few influence us in ways that change us forever, and make us better for having known them. It is very apparent that his best friend Paul Terry was that kind of person, and now he has told the world.

I congratulate Tony Adkins for a job well done.

Thomas G. Ratliff
Carlisle, Ohio

GRADUATION PARKING

My name is Donna Holbrook and I would like to share graduation evening with you. I am disabled. I have a spinal cord stimulator implant with wiring to nerves in my back. I don't need to strain or lift due to possible disconnecting the wiring which would cause another surgery and recovery time again.

Back to graduation: My son, Jerry Jackson, Jr., graduated this year. Graduation was to begin at 7:00 p.m. I drove over about 6:45 so I wouldn't have to sit so long. When I got to where you turn off Ky. 191 to the high school, a Mr. Gullett stopped me and said I would need to turn and park at IGA and walk, due to all parking spots being taken. I told him I am disabled and showed him my disability parking pass, and I told him I wasn't able to carry my chair, my purse, and my camera from IGA. But he told me if I was Jesus Christ I could not cross that bridge. I told him my son was graduating and I started crying. He just yelled for me to turn and leave. He said the graduation started at 5:00 p.m. My son had to be there early and he was. I understood I was to be there at 7:00 p.m.

I returned home at Index and I told my husband why I was crying. He told me to dry my face and get back in the truck. He drove me back to the bridge going to the high school. Mr. Gullett started motioning and told my husband he couldn't cross the bridge. My husband told him he was only going to drop me off and then he would be right back out. When we got to the high school parking areas, there were lots of parking places, even handicapped parking spaces.

I'm not Jesus Christ, but I am a Christian and I pray when my younger son, Joe Holbrook, graduates, that we have a nice person directing traffic to the empty parking places.

Donna Holbrook
West Liberty

The Judge's Corner

By Tim Conley
Judge Executive

As I try to keep citizens informed about what we are doing in county government today, I want to let you know about some of our projects.

First of all, on May 28 we had a diploma ceremony for our veterans and I want to personally thank everyone involved. This event has been a long time in coming and our veterans — those who did not complete high school to serve our country in war time — are very deserving of such a great event.

The Kiwanis Community Pool is open from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Sundays. The pool's phone number is 743-4561.

The bridge project we are working on is coming along. Frankfort has received \$990,000 from Washington, D.C., to replace bridges in Morgan County. We are currently waiting on permits required for these projects from the Division of Water.

We have mowed all the roads in the county road system one time and started this week on the second mowing, which will be a double-wide mowing. We will start mowing in District 5, then District 4, District 5, District 1, and District 2. It will take about a month and a half to get completely around the county.

Again, if you need to speak with us I can be reached at 743-3897, and if I need to come to your community to talk with you or your neighbors, please feel free to call me.

I hope everyone can take a little time to enjoy the summer. Remember the Relay for Life on June 16.

Relay For Life...

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Grassy Auto Parts, Judge Executive Tim Conley, Morgan County ARH, Morgan County Board of Education, News Channel 36, Rifle Coal, The Wells Group, Frederick & May Lumber Co., Licking Valley RECC, Mountain Telephone, Morgan County Lions Club, First National Bank, The Licking Valley Courier, Drs. Henderson and Gunnell, McKenzie Shopwise, and Farmers & Shoppers.

W.L. Kiwanis Charity Horse Show set June 24

The annual West Liberty Kiwanis Club Charity Horse Show is scheduled Saturday, June 24, at 5:00 p.m. at the Morgan County Equestrian Park. The event will feature 40 walking, racking, and pleasure classes. For more information, contact Langley Franklin, show manager, at 606-743-4415.
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When all else fails, read the instructions. —Agnes Allen

Old News Journal

By W. Lynn Nickell

From The Licking Valley Courier — Earl W. Kinner, Editor

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"Where the Past Is Always Present"

Guy W. Leslie Passes Jan. 18

Jan. 24, 1946 — Guy Womack Leslie, 54, for many years a resident of Cannel City, where he was general manager of the O & K Railroad and the Kentucky Block Cannel Coal Company, died last Friday at his home in Lexington after a long invalidism.

The funeral was conducted in Lexington Monday, with Rev. Leslie R. Smith, pastor of Central Christian Church, officiating. Internment was in Lexington.

Mr. Leslie was a descendant of one of Kentucky's frontier families, a son of the late Robert A.E. and Mary Womack Leslie, and was educated in the public schools of Pike and Johnson counties. He attended business college in Lexington.

For many years, he was general manager of the O & K Railroad and the Kentucky Block Cannel Coal Co. at Cannel City. He also served as general director of the Morgan County National Bank at Cannel City.

He is survived by his wife, Bertha Jones Leslie, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jones, of this county, and a sister of Custer Jones. He had a daughter, Mrs. Harry Walker, of Lexington, and five sisters.

Alumni Teams To Meet Twice

Alumni teams of Cannel City and Morgan County High School will play two charity games during the coming week. The first will be at West Liberty for the benefit of the Infantile Paralysis Fund, and the second game will be at Cannel City for the Red Cross. Admission will be three dimes.

W.G. Ratliff, coach of the Cannel City alumni team, announced his team as follows: Ray Lacy, Ed Lacy, Arnold Henry, James Zomes Jr., Jr. Benton, Alec Spencer, Lawrence Haney and Earl Reed.

The West Liberty team will be coached by W.O. Pelfrey and will be composed of Hayden Inglehart, Clyde Wells, Joe Stacy, Jack Cochran, Cortes McKenzie, Ova O. Haney, Lynn Nickell, Wendell Nickell, Chick Stacy and Elmer Craft.

James M. Perry Heads Lumber Company Here

James M. Perry has been employed as general manager of the West Liberty Lumber and Supply Company.

Mr. Perry has sold his interest in May Grocery to Henry Carr Rose, where he will succeed Mr. Perry in the office at the wholesale firm.

Two Sectors Advertised For Resurfacing

The State Highway Department this week advertised for bids for the bituminous surfacing of a 9.8 mile sector of the West Liberty-Sandy Hook road from Pompton to Little Sandy at a point near the "Y" in Elliott County.

Advertised at the same time was a project for the bituminous surfacing of the 20 mile sector of the Sandy Hook-Grayson road from the intersection with Rt. 32 at Newfoundland to a point near Grayson.

A light blacktop surface was placed on 14 miles of this road last summer — one sector from West Liberty to Pompton and the other from Little Sandy to Newfoundland, five miles beyond Sandy Hook.

Deadline for news, adv. noon Monday

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—Maxine W. Jenkins

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AREA DEATHS



Letha Nell Wilson

Letha Nell Eldridge Wilson, of Fairborn, Ohio, and formerly of West Liberty, was born Dec. 6, 1929, to the late Ray and Hazel Caskey Eldridge, in Morgan County, Kentucky, and went home to be with the Lord on May 25, 2006. (Romans 14:8)

She was preceded in death by her ex-husband, Woodrow Smith, her Grandpaw, John E. Eldridge, her Granny, Rebecca Ann (Frale) Eldridge, and Aunt Sissie--Goldie (Eldridge) Trimble.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Ray "Junior" Eldridge, and her sister, Betty Ruth Adkins.

Survivors include two daughters, Loretta and husband, Everett Dagnan, of Fairborn, Ohio, and Brenda and husband, Berl L. Wilson, of West Liberty; one son, Glenn and wife, Darlene Smith, of Xenia, Ohio; two sisters, Ina Jean and husband, Darrell King, and Wanda Faye Potter, all of West Liberty; 6 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; a brother-in-law, Glenn Adkins, of Sandy Hook; and numerous nieces, nephews, other family members and friends.

Letha was a retired employee of General Motors, of Dayton, Ohio.

Her faith, spirit, courage and positive attitude during times of illness and physical pain were admired by those close to her. She read her Bible every morning and her favorite subject was talking about that Bible with everyone she came in contact with. Letha was a loving and caring mother, grandmother and friend and will be missed deeply by her family and friends. Her selflessness and unconditional love she shared with many will not be forgotten. She will be missed beyond words.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 27, at Fairborn Church of God Tabernacle, with Rev. Eugene Haney and Rev. Lowell Lay, pastor of the Fairborn Church of God Tabernacle, officiating. Interment followed in the Byron Cemetery.

The family wish to express their gratitude and appreciation to the following: Bro. Eugene Haney, Bro. Lowell Lay, Dr. Jessica Gallagher, Hospice of Dayton, and the staff of Wright Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.



Mattie L. Grigsby

Mattie Louise Grigsby, 86, of Monroe, Ohio, died Tuesday, May 23, 2006, in Middletown, Ohio.

Born Friday, November 21, 1919, in Johnson County, Kentucky, Mattie was a daughter of the late Frank and Virgie DeLong Conley.

She was a member of West Liberty Christian Church, and a retired social worker after 35 years of service.

Following her retirement, Mattie moved to Lexington where she lived for 15 years before moving to Monroe, Ohio.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by three sisters - her twin sister, Lorene Conley, also Pauline Howard and Grace Conley Reed; and two brothers, Arnold Conley and Paul Conley.

Survivors include one son, Bobby Franklin and Anna Lee Nickell Grigsby, of Middletown, Ohio; two grandsons, James Franklin and Jill Grigsby, of Huber Heights, Ohio, and Henry Joe and Kristin Grigsby, of Monroe, Ohio; one great grand daughter, Miranda Ann Grigsby; two sisters, Roberta Starzman, of Wilmore, and Delores Rae Reed, of Caney; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 27, at Potter Funeral Home Chapel, with Bro. David Cook officiating. Burial in the DeBorde Cemetery, at Malone, with Potter Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Henry Joe Grigsby, James Franklin Grigsby, Keith Starzman, Paul Wade Reed, Stanley Franklin, and Kennell Lewis.

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Nora C. Rose

Nora Cecil Rose, 86, widow of Roger Eugene Rose, Sr., died Monday, June 5.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, in West Liberty.



John D. Engle, Jr.

John D. Engle, Jr. 83, of Xenia, Ohio, died at home on June 6, 2006.

He was born September 29, 1922, to John D. and Mary Combs Engle, in Yocum, Kentucky. He is survived by daughter, Marianne Engle; son, Brent Engle; and grandsons, Jesse Engle and Corey Engle; all of Colorado; companion, Marietta Ball, of Xenia, Ohio; brother, C.B. Engle and wife, Oleta, of Xenia, Ohio; two sisters-in-law, Darlene Engle and Emma Engle, of West Liberty; niece, Janet Hutchinson, of Hilliard, Ohio, and many other nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and by seven brothers and sisters, Lloyd Engle, Lexie Engle, Onzie Engle, Jim Frank Engle, Louraine Hurley, Suda Lewis, and Cassie Lewis.

John was a writer with seven books of poetry as well as thousands of poems, articles, and short stories appearing in countless periodicals and anthologies. For many years he was an editorial associate of Writer's Digest. As a teacher of creative writing, he coached hundreds of beginning poets into print. In his syndicated column, Engle's Angle, he showcased the work of other writers over the years, giving many poets an opportunity for publication. After retirement from Princeton High School in Cincinnati he continued teaching creative writing to young people and adults, conducted workshops, gave readings, lectured, took part in programs of The National Federation of State Poetry Societies at the national and state levels, and participated in the Ohio Arts Council's Poet-In-The Schools Program. He received many prizes and awards for his poetry, including a special award at the Indiana University Writers Conference, the Convention Award from the National Federation of State Poetry Societies in Birmingham, and the Grand Prize in the annual ByLine Magazine poetry contest. In 1980 he was awarded a plaque by the Ohio Poetry Day Association for Outstanding Service to Poetry in Ohio, and in 1995 The Kentucky State Poetry Society gave him an Award of Special Recognition for the Advancement of Poetry in Kentucky and the Nation.

He served in the United States Army Air Forces during World War II, and received his bachelors and masters degrees from The University of Kentucky in Lexington after his discharge.

A visitation is planned from 2:00 until 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 11, at Neeld Funeral home, 1276 North Detroit Street, in Xenia, Ohio.

Contributions can be made to Hospice of Dayton if there are those who choose to honor him in that way.



Bernard Hall, Sr.

Henry 'Bernard' Hall, Sr., 69, of Wellington, died Wednesday, May 31, 2006, at his residence, following a brief illness.

Born July 4, 1936, in Wolfe County, Kentucky, Bernard was a son of the late Garrett Hall and Maye Barker Hall.

He was a retired truck driver, and accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as his Saviour.

Survivors include his wife, Leota Burns Hall; three daughters, Martha May and Artie Topel, Lisa Hall, of Chicago, Illinois, and Angela and Jeff Flom, of Orlando, Florida; four sons, Garrett Hall, of Chicago, Illinois, Richard and Shelley Potter, of White Water, Wisconsin, Joey and Tammy Potter, of Clymon, Wisconsin, and Henry Hall, Jr., of Franklin, Wisconsin; one sister, Pauline Hall and Wicker Morris, of Wellington; a special niece, Carol and Roger Carter, of West Liberty; 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 3, with Rev. David Hale and Bro. James Perkins officiating. Burial followed in the Hazel Green Cemetery, at Hazel Green, with Menifee Home For Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were friends and relatives.

Benny Joe Creech

Benny Joe Creech, beloved husband of Caroldean Smith Creech, was born March 20, 1962, and departed this life Tuesday, May 23, 2006, at the age of 44 years, 2 months, and 3 days.

He was born in Wolfe County, Kentucky, was a plant operator for Hinkle Construction Company, and was a faithful member of Tar Ridge Church of God.

He is survived by his wife, Caroldean Smith Creech, of Rogers; his mother, Reva Hollon Creech, of Rogers; one daughter, Heather Renee Russell, of West Liberty; one son, Arnold Joseph "A.J." Creech, of Hazel Green; one step-son, Richard Aaron Creech, of Rogers; two brothers, Rickey Arnold Creech, of Jeffersonville, and James Ray Creech, of Rogers; two sisters, Linda Jewell Spencer, of Clay City, and Beverly Creech, of Owingsville; and 3 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, May 26, at Porter and Son Funeral Directors Chapel, with Rev. Adam Hays officiating. Burial followed in the Dorsie Creech Cemetery, at Rogers, with arrangements entrusted to Porter and Son Funeral Directors, in Campton.

In Memoriam



Sgt. Roger W. Williams, Pleiku, South Vietnam 1968

"The Homecoming"

It's good to have him home
No longer does he have to roam
Gone is all the fright
Cause he no longer has to fight
For the country he loves so dear
Now he doesn't have to fear
He's safe now in his bed
But the war still goes on in his head

By: MSG (retired) Larry K. Williams

This poem is in memory of: SGT Roger W. Williams, A Co., 1/22 infantry, (L.R.R.), 4th Infantry Division, Pleiku, South Vietnam and all who have served their country. Sometimes war claims it's victims long after it has ended.

(pd)

Mildred E. Banks

Mildred Elizabeth "Betty" Banks, of Stanton, formerly of Campton, widow of the late Oscar Banks, and daughter of the late Thrasher and Omie Purdue Banks, died Sunday, May 28, 2006, at Mary Chiles Hospital, in Mount Sterling, at the age of 68 years, 6 months, and 21 days.

She had been in ill health for several years.

Mildred was born in Wolfe County, and was a homemaker.

Survivors include one son, Robert Banks, of Winchester; one daughter, Helen Banks, of Tallahassee, Florida; four brothers, Wayne Banks, of West Liberty, Nathan Banks, of Springboro, Ohio, Merlin Banks, of Dayton, Ohio, and Walter Banks, of Ohio; and 4 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Oscar Banks; parents, Thrasher and Omie Purdue Banks; and four brothers, Harlis Banks, Harvey Banks, Kenneth Banks, and Johnnie Banks.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 31, at Porter and Son Funeral Directors Chapel, in Campton, with Rev. Doyle Thomas officiating. Burial followed in the Miller Cemetery, on Baptist-Campton Road, Campton. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Porter and Son Funeral Directors, of Campton.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks seems so little to say to our family, friends, and neighbors who were so supportive during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, Terry Cantrell. We wish to express our appreciation to his doctors and nurses for their care. At his passing, we sincerely appreciated the kindness of Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home and staff, the ministers, Bro. Roger Ball, Bro Bobby Fultz, Bro Jimmy Tharp, Bro Jessie Dennis, and Bro Russell Dingus, the singers, and pallbearers for the beautiful funeral service. To all who visited Terry at home and in the hospital, those that visited with the family at the funeral home, to everyone sending the beautiful floral arrangements and cards, preparing food for the family, and for the monetary donations, we extend our sincere appreciation. We know that Terry is in his heavenly home patiently waiting for his family and friends to join him. May the Christian life he lived,

Frieda Brown

Frieda Brown, 86, of Xenia, Ohio, died Wednesday, May 17, 2006, at Bethesda Hospital, in Lebanon, Ohio.

She was born Nov. 9, 1919, at Pomp, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Ben and Velta Lewis Cox.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Donald E. Brown, Nov. 30, 2005.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church, attended Morehead State Teachers College, taught in a one-room school house for two years, and worked for J.C. Penney's for 25 years.

She is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Donna and Bennie Johannes, of Wilmington, Ohio; a son and daughter-in-law, Terry Brown and Deobrah Wolterman, of Lebanon, Ohio; three grandchildren, Scott Johannes and Matt Johannes, both of Wilmington, Ohio, and Mark Johannes, of Beavercreek, Ohio; four great grandchildren, Hannah, Austin, Abby, and Brandon; and a brother and sister-in-law, Lewis and Grace Cox, of Cedarville, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday, May 22, at First Baptist Church, in Xenia, Ohio, with Rev. Dr. E.M. Wardle officiating. Burial followed in Valley View Memorial Gardens.

Memorial contributions were suggested to the Alzheimer's Association.

the sermons he preached, and the hymns he sung continue to be an encouragement to all to keep striving for a heavenly home at the end of life's journey.

God bless everyone and please continue to remember us in prayer.

Wife, Charleen,
and boys
(pd)

Coffee-Penix reunion set Saturday, June 17 at Lacy Creek Church

Coffee-Penix reunion will be held Saturday, June 17, at Lacy Creek Church of Christ, beginning at 10 a.m. Come, bring a covered dish and enjoy the day with family and friends. For additional information call Buford Coffee, 743-3556, or Ilene Hopkins, 743-4757.
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May 20 quilt show was a successful event for the String Along Guild

String Along Quilt Guild, of West Liberty, hosted their first quilt show on Saturday, May 20, at the Community Center gymnasium, in West Liberty.

Ladies met at 7:30 a.m. Saturday and began preparing quilts to be displayed. By 9 a.m. a beautiful display of approximately 51 full size quilts, 3 baby quilts, and several miniature quilts were in place and ready for the public to view. A nice variety of quilt patterns were included in the display. There were hand pieced and quilted, machine pieced and quilted, applique, yo-yo, and painted quilts.

Approximately 75 to 80 visitors stopped by to see the quilts—Mildred Collins, of Denver, Colorado, traveling the farthest distance. Other out-of-state visitors included Gail Partin, of Jackson, Ohio, and her daughter, Emmy Partin, of Columbus, Ohio. Several favorable comments were received concerning the show, and guild members were encouraged enough that they have already decided to make this an annual event.

The quilts were judged, and taking first place was Betty Lykins with a Dresden Plate quilt, second place went to Kathleen Perkins who showed a Stack and Whack quilt, and earn-



Maudie Nickell, at right displayed the above quilt top that she pieced during the "Show and Tell" part of a recent String Along meeting. Guild member, Jane Collett, is at left.

ing third place was Wilma Reed with a floral, appliqued quilt.

Mickey Oldfield, of Stacy Fork, was winner of a beautiful sampler quilt made and raffled by String Along Quilt Guild members.

Tuesday, May 23 String Along meeting

The regular monthly meeting of String Along Quilt Guild was Tuesday, May 23, 6:30 p.m., in West Liberty.

Much of the meeting was devoted to discussion on the Saturday, May 20, quilt show. Every-

one present agreed that the show was very successful.

During "Show and Tell" several different items were shared with the group. Newest member, Connie Lewis, probably had the most unique piece—a large turtle she carved from a sandstone rock. Turns out that Connie is not only an avid quilter, but possesses additional artistic abilities including carving!

Another newcomer to the guild, Maudie Nickell, who joined earlier this year, delighted the group with miniature blocks

she pieced since the April meeting. Longtime quilter of full size and miniature quilts, Wilma Reed, has been instructing Maudie in her endeavor to learn to make miniatures.

Two versions of the bow tie quilt, a family tree quilt top, and a sewing notion and thread organizer was also shown during "Show and Tell".

Those attending were guests, Maureen Elam and Judy Elam; and members, Sandi Adkins, Blanche Black, Maxine Blair, Jane Collett, Libby Hammonds, Eleanor Holbrook, Anna Keeton, Vanessa Litton, Linda Perry, Wilma Reed, Sandra Tyree, Roberta Hutchinson, Myrtle Fannin, Oedith Wright, Maudie Nickell, Connie Lewis, and Janie Collinsworth.

Veterans ...

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America"; remarks by DAV Commander Kenny Brown, Shorty Terry, DAV State Commander Larry Roberts, and Superintendent of Morgan County Schools Joe Dan Gold, who presented the veterans with their diplomas.

DAV members, who were expecting around 150 people at the event, said they were overwhelmed by the large turnout for the occasion. Extra seats had to be set up in the auditorium and in the hall ways. On behalf of all the veterans who received diplomas and family members of deceased veterans who attended, the DAV this week said it wishes to extend its thanks to the Board of Education, the Judge Executive's Office, MSU at West Liberty, the Morgan County Homemakers, who provided the caps and gowns for the special occasion, and the Morgan County Woman's Club for providing refreshments.

In all, diplomas were awarded to 66 veterans. Eleven of them are deceased and their diplomas were accepted by family members. Only four of the veterans scheduled to receive diplomas were unable to attend the ceremony.

Diplomas were awarded to:
WWII — Lenville Adkins, Jerald Amyx, Andrew B. Bradley, Orba R. Carpenter, Julius Casebolt, Buford Coffee, Eddie M. Davis, Jr., Clarence Dotson, Jr., William B. Evans, Dorsie D. Franklin, James G. Frederick, Lucien Hackney, Arnold W. Henry, Asa V. Henry, Melvin P. Henry, Lawrence Kersey, Ernie Lewis, Courtney P. Lykins, Arnold R. McClurg, Ernie C. Perry, Carl Roller, Woodrow L. Salyer, Earl Shaver, Joseph C.

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DAV news

The winner of the meal ticket at the DAV June meeting was Billy Whitt, above right. Presenting the winning ticket is Rex Childers, DAV Adjutant. A welcome home luncheon was given at the meeting by the DAV Auxiliary for Emily Elam Bolin's daughter, Erica Glass, from Iceland. Erica and Emily are at right.



Watson, Allen E. Williams.

Deceased WWII veterans: Clayton Coffee, Robert W. Elam, John Stevens, James C. Conley, Samuel C. Goodpaster, Acie Elam, Arnel Hopkins.

Korean War — Donald C. Adkins, James W. Benton, Andy H. Blair, Robert L. Cox, William A. Davis, James E. Ferguson, Eugene C. Haney, James A. Ross, Jr., Thomas W. Sexton, Sewell Smith, Harlan Ward, Jr.

Deceased Korean War veterans: Revis Barker, Wyck Smith.

Vietnam War — Darrell G. Adams, Garyivan Ball, Woodrow Ball, Charles W. Brown, William K. Brown, Jr., Lawrence O. Chaney, James A. Conley, Gary L. Cox, Ben Elam, Jack Flannery, James D. Gevedon, E. T. Hall, Ernest R. Jenkins, Arthur R.

Johnson, Clyde Lewis, Jr., Jimmy D. Smith, Denver L. Stacy, Billy E. Whitt, Gary Williams, Laymen B. Williams, Toney Wireman.

Deceased Vietnam War veterans: Hollis B. Fugett, Jesse C. King.

The awarding of the diplomas was made possible through special legislation enacted two years ago for WWII vets and amended later to include veterans of the Korean and Vietnam wars.

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Miss Bowman - Stephens wedding this Saturday



Estella Bowman and Herb Stephens

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The bride is a 2003 graduate of Menifee County High School and is a certified Nursing Assistant.

The groom is a 1990 graduate of Morgan County High School and owns Herb's Towing and Recovery of West Liberty.

The wedding ceremony will take place Saturday, June 10, at 3:30 p.m. at the home of Tim and Sarilda Clark at Cannel City. All friends and family members are invited to attend.

Madden - Keeton wedding vows to be spoken



Tiffany Ann Madden and Aaron Christopher Keeton

Paul and Carolyn Keeton of Woodsbend and Anthony and Angie Madden of Garrison, Ky., announce the forthcoming marriage of their children, Aaron Christopher and Tiffany Ann.

The bride-elect will be a student at Morehead State University this fall.

The prospective groom is employed with Keeton and Son Excavation of Woodsbend.

The couple will wed on Saturday, June 10, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the Glenn Avenue Church of Christ in West Liberty.

A reception will be held at the new MSU Center (Commonwealth Room), 155 University Drive, West Liberty. All family and friends are cordially invited.

The couple will reside in Woodsbend.



Celebrates birthday

Emily Nicole Hammonds celebrated her fifth birthday at her home Saturday in Morehead with a Curious George theme pool party. Attending were her parents, Nick and Benita Hammonds, along with her little brother, Braden and grandparents, Russell and Donna Burgett of West Liberty, Billy and Sheila Wilson of Sandy Hook, and lots of family and friends. Emily's birthday was July 5.



Jeffery James Sams

Jeffery J. Sams graduates with honors in Fairborn

A big congratulations goes out to Mr. Jeffery James Sams, of Franklin, Ohio, for his 2006 high school graduation! Jeff is the son of Jim and Regina Sams, and grandson of Roger Nickell, of Franklin, Ohio, and the late Gerry Nickell. He is the great grandson of Gladys Nickell, of Mize, and the late Everett Nickell, and the late Claude and Flora Howard. He is the great nephew of Donald and Myrtle Anderson, of West Liberty.

Graduating with high honors and a 4.58 gpa, Jeff has achieved great heights throughout his high school career. He has always

ranked on the top 5 of his class and sat as commencement chair at the ceremony. Jeff was a highly active student inside and outside of school. He was involved in the state-winning Envirothon Team, Teens For Christ, National Honor Society and performed the lead roles in all of the high school's musicals and play productions. Jeff was also a varsity wrestler and cross country athlete. Throughout the past four years, Jeff's athletic academic and extra-curricular records exemplify a great young man who is hardworking, dedicated and very talented. Jeff will be attending Miami University, in Ohio, in the fall and double majoring in theater and English Education.

Congrats Jeff!
Way To Go!

Quotable Quote

The day after tomorrow is the third day of the rest of your life.
George Carlin



As the years come and go
Too soon it's time to be 5-0
It's true Dad, your date is here
You still look good to be so mature
Our Love, Della and Parker

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Dusti Rose Lewis

Lewis is awarded art scholarship at Morehead Univ.

Dusti Rose Lewis received the J. E. Duncan Scholarship from Morehead State University's Department of Art. The chair of the department, Mr. Robert Franzini, presented her with the award at a luncheon on May 2 honoring the academic achievement of students enrolled in the Caudill College of Humanities at MSU. The scholarship is awarded to the outstanding junior art major with the highest overall grade point average.

Lewis was also honored on May 3 at a reception held at the Claypool-Young Art Gallery for those artists whose work appeared in Inscape Magazine, Morehead State's art and literary publication. Lewis' black and white photograph entitled "One Life" was one of 16 selected for publication from 69 entries.

Lewis has been named to the National Dean's List for the 2005-2006 academic year, which is her second appearance on the list. To be eligible for this honor students must maintain scholastic excellence and be nominated by an educator. Only one percent of the students from the nation's 3,000 colleges and universities are honored in the National Dean's List each year.

Lewis, the daughter of Dean and Vicci Lewis, is pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree with an area of concentration in graphic design at MSU. She is a six-semester MSU Dean's List student, a graduate of the American High School, and was home schooled kindergarten through high school.

Lordy, Lordy Look Who Is Turning 40



Happy 40th Birthday Daddy June 9th

Love,
Cody & Courtney

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Bates - Vance Engagement is announced



Mickie Jo Lynn Bates and Shaun Vance

Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bates of West Liberty are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Mickie Jo Lynn, to Lannie Shaun Vance, son of Lannie Vance of Caney, Ky., and Ruby and Keith Elam of West Liberty, Ky.

Mickie is a 2001 graduate of Morgan County High School and a 2004 graduate of Sullivan University. She is employed by Sullivan University in Lexington, Ky. She is the granddaughter of Mae and Dallas Barker of West Liberty, the late Darrell Caskey, Corenna and Roger Keeton of West Liberty, and the late Bobby Jo Bates.

Shaun is a 2001 graduate of Morgan County High School and is pursuing a civil engineering

degree at the University of Kentucky. He is currently employed with GRW Engineering in Lexington, Ky. He is the grandson of Rex and Jo Vance of Caney, Ky., and Elwood and Katherine Perkins of Salyersville, Ky.

The wedding will take place Saturday, July 8, at 4:30 in the afternoon at the Index Community Church. All friends and family are invited to attend.

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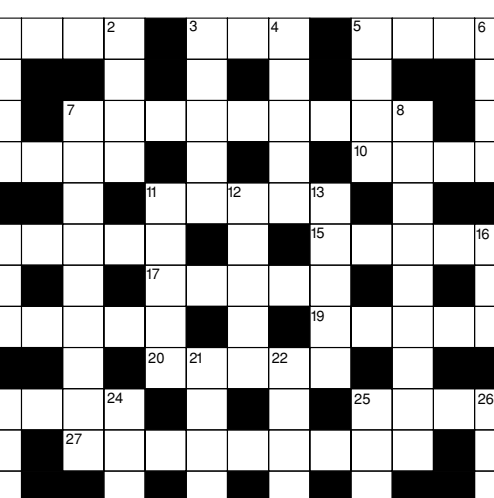
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9. Lie in wait
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11. Raw
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15. Hospital
17. Imbecile
18. Abrupt
19. Surmise
20. Reside
23. Sense
25. Heal
27. Wildly excited
28. Good fortune
29. Parched
30. Bathing pool (Eng.)

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1. Bucket
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3. Vacillate
4. Compact
5. Buffoon
6. Expedition
7. Keep
8. Unyielding
11. Wept
12. Combine
13. Glorify
14. Mug
16. Observe
21. Eerie
22. Laymen
23. Young horse
24. Edible plant
25. Ringlet
26. Resound

Cable TV Channel Guide

FRIDAY EVENING												June 9	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Dateline NBC	Windfall			Law & Order: SVU	News	Tonight		
CBS 4	News	News	Fortune	Jeo-	Ghost Whisperer	Close to Home			NUMB3RS	News	Late		
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Million-	Home Videos	Faith	Hope		20/20	News	Night-		
PBS 7	Math	Busi-	News-Lehrer	Com-	Group	Wash	NOW		Path to Nuclear	News	Ky Life		
NBC 8	News	NBC	Holly-	Extra	Dateline NBC	Windfall			Law & Order: SVU	News	Tonight		
WGN 9	Home	Home	Home Videos		An American Werewolf in Paris				WGN News	Sex &	Becker		
FOX 11	Ray-	My Wife	Friends	Ray-	1/2 The Animal (2001)				News	Friends	Seinfeld		
CBS 12	News	News	Legends	King	Ghost Whisperer	Close to Home			NUMB3RS	News	Late		
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Ray-	Ray-	Friends	Friends	1/2 Old School (2003)			Dumb & Dumber			
ENC 14	Something to Talk About				1/2 Van Helsing (2004)				1/2 Candyman (1992)				
FAM 15	7th Heaven				1/2 Big Daddy (1999)				Whose? / Whose?	The 700 Club			
LIFE 16	Golden	Golden	1/2 The Marriage Fool (1998)		1/2 Personally Yours (2000)				Will	Will			
A&E 17	American Justice	American Justice	1/2 The Shining (1980)							Dog			
SHOW 19	Barbershop 2: Back		1/2 De-Lovely (2004)						HUFF	Penn	Family		
DISN 20	Raven	Suite	Mon-	Raven	1/2 Freaky Friday (2003)				Mon-	Mon-	Suite	Raven	
MAX 21	Garfield	The Wedding Date			1/2 Phenomenon (1996)				1/2 War of the Worlds (2005)				
HBO 22	The Phantom of the Opera				1/2 Constantine (2005)				The Sopranos	Ocean's Twelve			
AMC 24	1/2 The Comancheros (1961)				The Man From Snowy River				1/2 Jaws III (1983)				
USA 25	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	1/2 Along Came Polly (2004)		1/2 Along Came Polly (2004)				1/2 Along Came Polly (2004)				
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Into the Firestorm		Deadliest Catch	Shouldn't Live			Survivor	Survivor	Into the Firestorm		
ESPN 27	SportsCenter	College Baseball: NCAA Super Regional -- Teams TBA			Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter							
TNT 32	Law & Order	Without a Trace	1/2 Runaway Jury (2003)		Runaway Jury								
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1	John Doe	Stargate SG-1		Doctor Who				Stargate SG-1	Stargate SG-1			

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SATURDAY EVENING												June 10	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	NHL Hockey: Stanley Cup Final -- Hurricanes at Oilers				News	SNL			
CBS 4	News	News	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS		Cold Case		48 Hours Mystery	News	Paid		
ABC 6	Horse Racing	Paid	Paid	1/2 Toy Story 2 (1999)					Grey's Anatomy	News	Alias		
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk	Find!	Red	Ky Life	Ken-	Nature	Rosemary-Thym		Austin City Limits				
NBC 8	News	NBC	Extra		NHL Hockey: Stanley Cup Final -- Hurricanes at Oilers				News	SNL			
WGN 9	Shocking Mom.	1/2 A Time to Kill (1996)							WGN News	Sex &	Becker		
FOX 11	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Friends	Pass	Cops	Cops	Most Wanted		News	Mad TV			
CBS 12	News	News	King	Auto	Fighting for Life	Cold Case			48 Hours Mystery	News	Stargate		
TBS 13	1/2 Dumb & Dumber (1994)				1/2 Old School (2003)				1/2 The Replacements (2000)				
ENC 14	King	Home on the Range			1/2 Pretty Woman (1990)				1/2 Philadelphia (1993)				
FAM 15	The Face on the Milk Carton				1/2 The Sixth Sense (1999)				The Sixth Sense				
LIFE 16	This Matter	Deception (2003)			Recipe for Revenge (1998)				Life of the Party				
A&E 17	The First 48	The First 48			Cold Case Files	Cold Case Files	American Justice: Godfathers						
SHOW 19	1/2 The Paper (1994)	1/2 Sports	1/2 The Cookout (2004)		1/2 Be Cool (2005)				Family				
DISN 20	Life	Suite	Mon-	Raven	Suite	Mon-	Dragon	Kim	Phil	Life	Suite	Raven	
MAX 21	Meet the Fockers	Spoken	Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban		1/2 Unleashed (2005)				Sex				
HBO 22	Miss Congeniality 2		1/2 The Skeleton Key (2005)		Lewis Black				The Sopranos				
AMC 24	Man-Snowy	1/2 Hidalgo (2004)			Hustle				Highlander				
USA 25	American Wed.	The 4400			Law & Order: SVU	1/2 Along Came Polly (2004)			Law & Order				
DSC 26	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch			Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch			
ESPN 27	SportsCenter	Triple	Dan Wheldon		IndyCar Racing: Bombardier Learjet 500				Sports-				
TNT 32	1/2 The Negotiator (1998)	Cont'd	1/2 Runaway Jury (2003)		Runaway Jury								
SCI 33	Path-Destruct	Earthquake: Nature Unleashed			Black Hole (2006)				Post Impact				

TUESDAY EVENING												June 13	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Fear Factor		Last Comic		Law & Order: SVU	News	Tonight		
CBS 4	News	News	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS		The Unit		Tuesday Night	News	Late		
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Million-	Jim	NBA	NBA Basketball: Finals - Mavericks at Heat		News	Ky Life			
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer	ENVI Awards			Ky Life	Sally Brown	News	Ky Life			
NBC 8	News	NBC	Holly-	Extra	Fear Factor		Last Comic		Law & Order: SVU	News	Tonight		
WGN 9	Home	Home	Home Videos		This Old Cub (2004)				WGN News	Sex &	Becker		
FOX 11	Ray-	My Wife	Friends	Ray-	House		House		News	Friends	Seinfeld		
CBS 12	News	News	Lawyers	King	NCIS		The Unit		Tuesday Night	News	Late		
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Ray-	Ray-	Friends	Friends	Sex &	Sex &	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Ray-	Ray-	
ENC 14	Bridget Jones: The Edge of Reason				1/2 Something to Talk About		1/2 The Village (2004)		Childs				
FAM 15	7th Heaven				1/2 Scooby-Doo (2002)		Whose? / Whose?		The 700 Club				
LIFE 16	Golden	Golden	1/2 A Vow to Kill (1995)		Wicked Minds (2002)				Will	Will			
A&E 17	Amer. Justice	Cold Case Files	Biography: Andre		Dog	Dog	King	King	Crossing Jordan				
SHOW 19	Shawshank R.	Phil	Captain-World		Interview With the Vampire				HUFF				
DISN 20	Raven	Suite	Sky	Raven	Cow Belles (2006)		Dragon	Dragon	Suite	Raven			
MAX 21	House	Jingle All the Way			Why Do Fools Fall in Love		The Wedding Date		House				
HBO 22	Perfect	1/2 The Grudge (2004)			Count-	1/2 The Skeleton Key (2005)		Deadwood					
AMC 24	Out from Russia With Love		1/2 The Man With the Golden Gun (1974)		The Spy Who Loved Me								
USA 25	Out for a Kill	Law Order: CI	1/2 A Vow to Kill (1995)		Law & Order: SVU	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI						
DSC 26	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Dirty Jobs	Dirty Jobs						
ESPN 27	SportsCenter	Bonds on Bonds	2005 U.S. Poker	2005 U.S. Poker	Baseball Tonight	Sports-							
TNT 32	Law & Order	Without a Trace	Law & Order	Law & Order	Law & Order	Cold Case							
SCI 33	1/2 Stargate (1994)	Cont'd	1/2 Immortal (2004)		ECW	Hellraiser: Hell							

SUNDAY EVENING												June 11	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
NBC 3	News	NBC	Dateline NBC				Law & Order		Windfall		News	Enter-	
CBS 4	News	Health-	60 Minutes		The 60th Annual Tony Awards				News	Dan			
ABC 6	News	Extreme Makeover: Home	NBA		NBA Basketball: Finals -- Heat at Mavericks				News	News			
PBS 7	Work-	Garden	Keep	Summer	Time-	Served	Mystery!		American Masters	Book-			
NBC 8	News	NBC	Dateline NBC		Law & Order		Windfall		News	CSI			
WGN 9	Home Videos	Maximum Exp.	24		24		News	Replay	Sex &	Becker			
FOX 11	NAS-	My Wife	Malcolm	King/Hill	Simp-	War	Family	Sunny	News	Free-	Motor		
CBS 12	News	News	60 Minutes		The 60th Annual Tony Awards				News	Paid			
TBS 13	1/2 The Replacements (2000)				1/2 Old School (2003)				1/2 Old School (2003)				
ENC 14	1/2 My Cousin Vinny (1992)				1/2 The Incredibles (2004)				1/2 Cocktail (1988)		Sleep-		
FAM 15	Cutting	1/2 Chasing Liberty (2004)			Falcon Beach (2005)				Falcon Beach				
LIFE 16	Dream-Murder	Engaged to Kill (2006)			Maid of Honor (2006)				Medium				
A&E 17	Sell	Sell	Sell	Sell	Flip This House		Road Warriors		Intervention	CSI: Miami			
SHOW 19	1/2 Blind Horizon (2004)				1/2 Air Force One (1997)				HUFF	HUFF			
DISN 20	Life	Suite	Mon-	Raven	Movie				Phil	Life	Suite	Raven	
MAX 21	1/2 Flight of the Phoenix (2004)				1/2 Mr. & Mrs. Smith (2005)				Land of the Dead		Sex		
HBO 22	1/2 Ray (2004)	Cont'd			The Wire		Deadwood		Entour-	Lucky	Tour-	Star	
AMC 24	1/2 M*A*S*H (1970)	Cont'd			1/2 M*A*S*H (1970)				The Enemy Below				
USA 25	Happy Gilmore	1/2 Along Came Polly (2004)			The 4400				House				
DSC 26	Supervolcano	Cont'd			Tsunami: Wave	Krakatoa: Volcano of Destruction			Mega-Tsunamis				
ESPN 27	College Baseball	Baseball Tonight			MLB Baseball: Cleveland Indians at Chicago White Sox				SportsCenter				
TNT 32	The Closer	Law & Order	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order				
SCI 33	Jason-Argo.	1/2 Arabian Nights (2000)							Doctor Who				

WEDNESDAY EVENING										June 14		
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News 	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	NHL Hockey: Stanley Cup Final -- Oilers at Hurricanes					News	News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	News	Fortune	Jeo-	AFI's 100 Years ... 100 Cheers					News	News	Late
ABC 6	News 	ABC	Enter-	Million-	Lopez	Freddie	Lost 		Commander		News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Jubilee 		Amer. Masters		Glenn Miller		News	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Holly-	Extra 	NHL Hockey: Stanley Cup Final -- Oilers at Hurricanes					News	News	Tonight
WGN 9	Home	Home	Home Videos		MLB Baseball: Houston Astros at Chicago Cubs 					News	News	Becker
FOX 11	Ray-	My Wife	Friends	Ray-	So You Think You Can Dance 				News 	Friends	Friends	Seinfeld
CBS 12	News	News	Brain	King	AFI's 100 Years ... 100 Cheers					News	News	Late
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Cher-	Sex & 	Sex & 	Friends	Friends
ENC 14	★½ The Jewel of the Nile (1985) 				★½ Predator (1987) 				★★ Burglar (1987) 		Mid-	
FAM 15	7th Heaven 		7th Heaven 		★★ Good Boy! (2003) 			Who? 		Who? 	The 700 Club 	
LIFE 16	Golden	Golden	★ His Bodyguard (1998) 			★★ Perfect Crime (1997) 			Who?	Will	Will	
A&E 17	American Justice		Keepers: Job		Dog	Dog	Inked 	Inked 	Angel	Angel	Crossing Jordan	
SHOW 19	Saved!		Seamless		★★ Mean Girls (2004) 			HUFF 		Sports		My Big
DIXN 20	Raven	Suite	Phil	Raven	The Proud Family (2005)			Life		Dragon	Suite	Raven
MAC 21	★½ Man on Fire (2004) 			★★ U.S. Marshals (1998) 			★★½ Unleashed (2005) 		Sex			
HBO 22	First	★★★ Ocean's Twelve (2004) 			Prairie	Deadwood 		Lucky	Entour-	Lewis Black		
AMC 24	The Man With the Golden Gun				★★★ The Living Daylights (1987) 				Licence to Kill			
USA 25	Outlaw Josey		Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU					The Fast and the Furious		
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Engineering		MythBusters 		MythBusters 		Engineering	MythBusters 		
ESPN 27	SportsCenter 		MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Philadelphia Phillies 					Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter 		
TNT 32	Law & Order 	Without a Trace 		Without a Trace 		Without a Trace 		Without a Trace 		Saved 		

Flowers For The Fallen Heroes

E.W. Chapman

Once again the flowers we gather,
On these sacred mounds to lay;
O'er the tombs of fallen heroes
Float the Stars and Stripes today.
From the mountain, hill, and Valley
Issued forth a noble throng,
With heroic valor fighting
Till was heard the Victors song.
But these brave men now are sleeping,
While their deeds in memory live,
And the tribute we are bring-

ing.
'Tis the nation's joy to give.
Bring we here the gold and purple,
Scarlet, blue, and lily white,
Tassels from the silver birches,
And the tulips gay and bright.
Swords no more are brightly flashing,
Foes no more our land molest;
Slumb'ring in the green-clad valley,
Low and peaceful is their rest.
Earth to them was full of promise,
Home and friends and life were dear;
But when loud the war-cry echoes,
Quick the Answer, "We are here!"
Swiftly now the years are rolling,

While the honor and the fame
Of the valiant brave increases,
And more dear each noble name.

Bring bright flowers the graves to garland,
Let the sweetest music rise,
Let the stars and stripes be waving,
O'er their generous sacrifice.
Submitted by Carol Adkins

Quotable Quote
When I got cut from the varsity team as a sophomore in high school, I learned something. I knew I never wanted to feel that bad again. I never wanted to have that taste in my mouth, that hole in my stomach. So I set a goal of becoming a starter on the varsity.
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C-6-B-3T

Christian Church group spends week in New Orleans assisting hurricane victims

Fourteen teens and adults from the West Liberty Christian Church spent from April 27 to May 1 helping hurricane victims in New Orleans, Louisiana. The work crew headed out Thursday evening, drove all night, and went to work on Friday sorting clothes and personal items for Crossroads Missions, located in an abandoned Christian high school facility in St. Bernard Parrish. The church also delivered supplies that it had been stocking since Christmas, including a load of building materials, through David May Trucking, for a house to be built in the New Orleans area.

Saturday, the work crew got to see the damage in the city and surrounding areas first hand. The devastation is incredible and most of the areas have yet to be cleaned up. "Everywhere the church van went, people were waving, honking and saying thank you for coming to help. It was an eye-opening and humbling experience for all those who participated," said Senior Minister, Paul Casteel.

The city is largely a ghost-town. The French Quarter is alive and well, but the rest of the city is still struggling. "We were working in a suburban area, but had to drive twenty minutes just to get to a Burger King," Dr. Kent Nickell said.

In a city roughly the size of Cincinnati, only 120,000 people have returned. The largest city in Louisiana now is Baton Rouge, which went from 400,000 to 600,000 residents virtually overnight when Katrina evacuees started to converge upon the city. Most of the displaced persons have chosen to remain in their "evacuee cities" rather than to return to their ravaged city.

The Christian Church will be returning to New Orleans September 10-16 to help clean out homes and remove drywall so that homes can be restored in the



Group spent a week helping with relief effort in New Orleans.



Members of group view devastation left from Hurricane Katrina.

Chalmette area of the city. Out of the 300,000 homes that need to be restored in the Greater New Orleans area, Crossroads Missions alongside Christian Church work crews have restored 200. "The task is great, but our Savior is greater!" Senior Minister Paul Casteel replied.

If you would like to join the

West Liberty Christian Church on their next missions' trip to New Orleans in September, please contact Paul Casteel at 743-4356. The trip cost is \$100 plus airfare from Lexington and spending money. For more information about Crossroads Missions, look them up on the Internet at crossroadsmissions.com.



Officer James Whitt and Deputy Warden Paul Holbrook

EKCC honors James Whitt as Employee of the Month

Mr. James Whitt is Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex's (EKCC) Employee of the Month for May.

Officer Whitt began his career in corrections as a correctional officer at EKCC in Sept. 1997. He has proven to have exceed-

ingly competent abilities and knowledge in performing his job duties, and holds the highest regard for the security and safety of the institution, said Warden John Motley.

"He is also greatly respected by his peers and strives to lead by

example. He consistently and successfully completes his duties with little or no supervision, and exhibits a high level of professionalism," Motley said. "Officer Whitt is a very deserving recipient of the Employee of the Month award."

Congratulations on a job well done!

Vance Family reunion held

From May 19th to the 21st, the expanded Roy and Tela Vance family celebrated another year of joy and pride in their 2006 Annual Gathering at the Vance Family ancestral home in White Oak. Prior to the gathering, Sue Vance (Mrs. Jimmie Lee Vance) and Scarlet Vance (Mrs. Jimmie Keith Vance) and sisters scrubbed, mopped, and swept the floors and walls, and repainted floors and some of the walls in preparation for these happy days. The entire house was cleaned of all the swarming spring resident ladybugs, a chore that the early arriving city cousins detested.

Food was gathered, chopped and cooked in pots and pans and then brought to the house for the family members driving long distances to enjoy. In addition, during the celebration at the cemetery where the older Vances are buried, flowers were placed on graves, and many tearful eyes were filled as the descendants stood in silent prayer.

One special visitation was made with the folks gathering for a last goodbye to the Cannel City School. It seemed so poignant to be again with classmates from days gone by and renew promises to keep in touch.

Those attending this year's Vance Reunion were Adam Vance, Sue Vance, Michael Lacy, Terry Sue Lacy, Christopher Lacy, Mandy Lacy Farmer, Betty Vance Lacy Wells, Lacy Jinks, Gerhard Jinks, Joan Lacy Jinks, Morgan Farmer, G. P. Hounshell, Edward Vance, Wilson Wells, Mildred Vance Kirk, Susan Adams, Michael Adams, Jeremy Farmer, Michelle Kelly, Jean Vance Nickell, Emily Calhoun, Leasha Vance, Sonny Lee Vance, Suzanne Vance, Scarlet Vance, Mark Holbrook, Erica Vance Holbrook, Genevieve Gilbert, Kendall Vance, Susan Reed, Tracy Hatton, Lisa Gibson, Dominique Randle, and Destini Randle.

—Betty L Wells


It Happened In 1994


George Foreman at age 45 regains the heavyweight championship of the world that he lost to Muhammad Ali 20 years earlier.

Quotable Quote

The only way to be just is to judge your own actions by the best part of you, and to judge the actions of others by the worst part of you.

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Brushy Fork Church, Caney, KY. Services fourth Saturday at 1:00 pm and fourth Sunday at 10:00 am each month. Hobert Dunn, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of God, 568 Glenn Ave., West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-4161. Gary Fields, pastor. Parsonage: 743-2632. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm Bible study for all age groups.

Hazel Green Christian Church, P.O. Box 66, Hazel Green, KY 41332. Bro. Lowell Fields, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Faith Baptist Church, Caney, KY 41402, phone 743-4966, parsonage phone 768-2415. Bro. Mick Harden, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday disciples group training service 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday night mission friends, GA's, acteen's RA's, adult Bible study 6:00 pm.

Old Grassy Christian Church, US-460, Mize, KY 41352. Mrs. Kerry Moore, pastor. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

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Campton Church Of Christ, Rt. 35, Box 405, Campton, KY 41301, phone 668-6531.

Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Congregation invites all. Everyone welcome.

Rocky Branch Full Gospel Church Of God, 3 miles north of Campton on KY-746. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil Lykins, pastor, phone 668-3643.

Torrent Church Of God, 1432 N KY-11, Zachariah, KY. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday morning, 11:00 am, Sunday evening, 6:30 pm. Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 pm. Rev. David Booth, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Bethany Baptist Church, War Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday. Every third Saturday of each month Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Rick Pelfrey, pastor.

Stark United Methodist Church, Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday School 10:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

Ezel United Presbyterian Church And Manse, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-4215. Sunday morning 9:45 am.

Cannel City First Church Of God, Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Zag Community Church, located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY-976. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Index Community Church, Rt. 1 Box 210, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday youth hour 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Mike Frisby, pastor. Eddy Dennison, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Red River Community Church, Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

Prince Of Peace Catholic Church, US-460, West Liberty, KY. Sunday mass 9:00 am. Father Jerry Dorn, pastor, 581 Glenn Ave., phone 743-4817.

Wells Union Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first weekend each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday 11:00 am. No services fourth weekend. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pleasant Run House Of Prayer, Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am. Sunday morning 1:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Helechawa Community Church, located on KY-191. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome to come and worship the Lord.

Sulphur Springs Church, Crockett, KY. KY-172. Third weekend of each month and all odd weekends. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Chris Baldwin, pastor. Bro. Bob Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

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Pekin Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Sammy Vancleave, pastor. Everyone invited.

West Liberty Christian Church, 304 Prestonsburg St. (corner of Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355. Paul Casteel, minister. Ben Thomas, youth minister. Junior church and wee church 11:00 am. High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

Ezel First Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Youth group Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

Stillwater Holiness Church, 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Patricia Crider, pastor.

Bear Pen Worship Center, Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday School 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

Blaze Community Church, Monday evening 7:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Vernon Dale Lewis, pastor. Everyone invited.

Calvary Baptist Church, KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

Campton Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Hazel Green Church Of God, KY-1010 East. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Charlie Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

Concord Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of Christ, Sunday Bible study 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

Campton First Church Of God, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church, Youth services Friday 7:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Bill Rice, pastor. Virgil F. Gillum, assistant pastor.

Full Gospel Tabernacle, Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Ralph Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Grassy Lick Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, KY 41352. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Kenneth Gevedon, pastor. Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor. James Tyra, assistant pastor.

Quillens Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Lester Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-6435.

Abundant Life Full Gospel Church, 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY. Phone 743-1549. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

Callaboose Community Church, Off KY-746 near Campton. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Raymond Brewer, pastor.

West Liberty Mennonite Church, located off Circle Dr. Wells Hill. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Darel Fyffe, pastor emeritis. Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567. Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

Faith Hills Mennonite Church, KY-172, Crockett, KY 41413. Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday evening second and fourth Sunday each month 7:00 pm, the fourth Sunday being song service. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty United Methodist Church, corner of Main and Prestonsburg St. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. UMW first Tuesday each month. Rev. Garry Jones, pastor, phone 743-3519.

Trent First Church Of God, Rt. 1, Campton, KY 41301. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. David Stamper, pastor.

Christian Faith Church Of Freedom, Murphy Fork. Every Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Todd Kidd, pastor.

Woodsbend Community Church, KY-705 North. Phone (606) 743-3580. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening family night ministries 7:00 pm.

Pine Branch House Of Worship, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Mollette, pastor.

Assembly Of Faith Church, seven miles north of West Liberty on KY-519. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Harold Davis, pastor. Phone 743-4555.

Campton United Methodist Church, phone 668-3229. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:55 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm choir 7:45 pm. Rev. David Gross, pastor.

Isonville Primitive Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. Phone 738-5816. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Christopher K. Harper, pastor. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty First Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am nursery provided. Sunday evening youth group 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. David Cook, pastor. Phone 743-3722.

Bigwoods Community Church, HC 75, Wellington, KY. 40387. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible hour 7:00 pm. Phone 768-3456. Rev. Jess Brewer, pastor.

New Salem Church, Moon, KY. 1/4 mile off KY-172 on KY-1715. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. James Wallin, pastor. Bro. Shane Ison, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Lick Branch Enterprise Baptist Church, two miles off US-460 up Old KY-172. Every fourth weekend of each month. Saturday night business 6:30 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Joe O. Jenkins, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Neal Howards Creek Community Church, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Thursday ladies and men's meeting 7:00 pm. Dean Lewis, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Newcombe Valley First Enterprise Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. First Saturday each month 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Ladies Bible study/prayer group Wednesday 1:00 pm. Mike Adkins, pastor. Darrell O'Hare, assistant pastor.

Tar Ridge Church Of God, Wolfe County. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Bro. Adam Hays, pastor.

New Hope Baptist Church, Gordon Ford. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Alonzo Johnny Dixon, pastor.

Church Of Free Worship, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 11:00 am. Sunday morning 12:00 noon. Stanley Rigbsy, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Old 519 Full Gospel Church, Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Tom's Branch Community Church, KY-772, West Liberty, KY.

White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ, White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. George M. Bellamy, pastor.

Ezel Church Of God, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

Lee City First Church Of God, Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Centerville Community Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Harry Flannery, pastor.

Vortex Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

Grace Baptist Church, Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church, Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Bro. Gerald Fyffe, pastor.

Hope Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-650, Doctor's Branch, Sandy Hook, KY. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Tuesday evening prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Ronnie Mayse, pastor.

Hilltop Apostolic Church, KY-7 past Bruin. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Darrell Gallihue, pastor.

Victory Christian Center, Elliott County on Blaine's Trace Road off KY-486. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. David Webb, pastor.

Sandfield Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Mike Brooks, pastor. Harold Stamper, assistant pastor.

Bethany Community Church, Bethany, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Dana Wendel, pastor. Ernest Martin, youth pastor. Phone 668-3703.

Broadway First Church Of God, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-3759. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 pm. Bro. Jessie Rogers, pastor.

Lacy Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Lacy Creek, KY. Second weekend each month. Saturday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Bro. Tim Jenkins, pastor.

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ, Lytten, KY. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil B. Fannin, pastor. Phone 738-6384.

Grassy Creek Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Johnnie Davis, pastor.

Vision Baptist Church, Rogers, KY, KY-2818, KY-715. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Audely Shepard, pastor.

Lacy Creek Church Of Christ, 2-1/2 miles off US-460 on KY-364, Cottle, KY. Phone 743-2380. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening youth service 6:00 pm. Thursday Bible study 7:00 pm. Jimmy Adkins, pastor, 743-3801. Elder Lawrence Kersey, 743-3291. Elder Dan Hitepole, 743-3430. Elder Dr. James Frederick.

Words Of Encouragement Trinity Full Gospel Mission, Trace Branch, US-460, Magoffin County. Friday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Pine Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Garrie Stamper, pastor.

Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Big Sandy Road off KY-650. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Darris Hammons, pastor.

Catholic Church Of The Good Shepherd, 525 Main St., Campton, KY. Phone 668-3731. Sunday mass 12:30 pm. Wednesday evening 5:30 pm.

Countryside Community Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. David Hinton, pastor.

Kernie Freewill Baptist Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Butch Whitaker, pastor. Steve Arnett, assistant pastor.

Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church, Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Horton Flats Community Baptist Church, 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am.

Rocky Branch Full Gospel Church, Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Andrew Justice, pastor.

Wrigley Baptist Mission, KY-7, Wrigley, KY. Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am. Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class). Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Fannin Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-557 (Ruin Road), Sandy Hook, KY. First Saturday evening each month at 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning at 10:30 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. George Stafford pastor and Jason Ison assistant pastor.

Crockett Community Church, Services every Wednesday at 7:00 pm. Every third Saturday at 7:00 pm. Every third Sunday, 11:00 am. Pastor Bob Smith, Assistant Pastor Jessie Smith.

Campton Christian Church, 312 Main St., Campton, KY 41301, phone 481-0841. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Tuesday Bible study, 6:30 pm. Minister: Will Cooper.

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Students enrolled in Morehead State University's College of Humanities were recognized for academic excellence during an Awards Week honors luncheon. Dusti Lewis of West Liberty was named Outstanding Junior in Art. From left are Dr. Michael Moore, provost; Lewis; Dr. Wayne Andrews, president, and Dr. Michael Seelig, dean of the college. Lewis also was presented the J. E. Duncan Award.

Only My Opinion!

By Richard Stamper

Why do our politicians have to make every problem so hard to solve? Could it be that none of our payed leaders will accept any blame, but they all want credit for fixing the problems?

So they usually wind up throwing taxpayers' money at a problem and doing no good whatsoever.

We can't stop illegal people from crossing our Southern border. Some politicians want to build a wall a thousand miles long and twenty feet high.

Our president wants to send the National Guard down there to patrol the border. Well, how long would the Guard be there? Six months, one year, fifty years, it's a never ending problem. And, God help a Guardsman who shoots one of these wet backs; he would be court marshaled and shot on the spot.

And, how much would it cost to build and maintain a wall? How much would it cost to keep the National Guard down there forever?

Now another problem: the levees around New Orleans have been washed away, how to fix them?

Being a dumb common person, here is what I'd do. Instead of building a wall the length of our Southern border, I'd dig a moat, about twenty feet deep and fifty feet wide. I'd take the dirt from the moat and rebuild the

levees around New Orleans. On the way back for more dirt, I'd fill my truck with Louisiana alligators and turn them loose in the moat. Two problems solved, one price, and no upkeep expenses.

Mr. Politician, us common people have been solving problems all our lives and we didn't have tax dollars to spend.



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Our Lord commanded, "Go into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

It's about time we put some expression to our impression, some motion to our devotion, and go with the gospel.

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Their parents arrested, been cooking meth for weeks.
You see, nothing else matters to meth speed freaks.

The little ones have had no food, the house has had no heat.

They stand in filthy, stinking clothes, no shoes upon their feet.

Those precious little faces, so sadly filled with fear,
No child should feel such sadness, no child should cry such tears.

I want to say, Baby, it will be ok, but I know that's just a lie.

How can anything be ok again, when a little child has died?

We strip them down and change their clothes.

We wash their little faces, and blow their little noses.

We rush to the hospital and blood levels are run.

X-rays and bone scans and liver tests are done.

Phone calls to foster homes, where will they go?

It's 6:00 a.m. in the morning and

I still don't know. Their whole lives have changed, in the blink of an eye.

Their parents are in jail, and baby brother has died.

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Because for one more child it's just too late.

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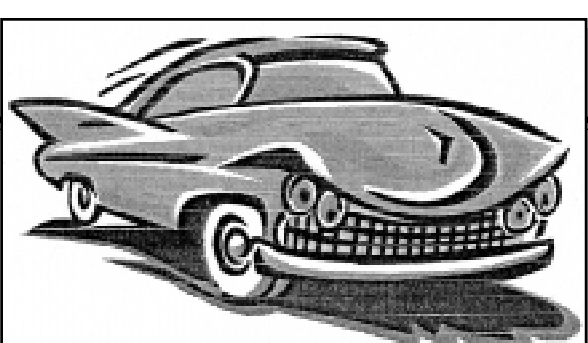
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LEGALS

NOTICE

There will be a public hearing for Federal Programs (Title I, Title II, Title IV, IDEA, Title V and Title VI) at the Morgan County Board of Education on Thursday, June 15, 2006, at 9:00 a.m.

Everyone is invited to attend. For more information contact the Morgan County Board of Education at (606) 743-8002 between the hours of 8:00 a.m.--4:30 p.m. C-6-8-1t (Pub. June 1, 8)

PROBATE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given on this 30 day of May 2006, that Lou Coleman has been appointed the Executrix of the Maxine Johnson Estate. Anyone indebted to said Estate should pay the undersigned immediately. Anyone having a claim of any nature against said Estate should file the same, properly verified, with the undersigned no later than six (6) months from the date of this publication. Lou Coleman
2070 Garden Springs Drive,
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Steve O'Connor
522 Prestonsburg Street
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C-6-8-1t

NOTICE OF SALE

Bank of the Mountains will offer for sale at public auction the following items:
2005 Royal Cargo Trailer, 5x8, serial number 5LABE08175M075324. This sale will be conducted on the lot behind Bank of the Mountains in West Liberty, Ky. The sale will begin at 10 a.m., Saturday, June 17, 2006.

This trailer may be inspected by prospective purchasers between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Friday, June 16, 2006, prior to the sale date.

This item will be sold as is and the terms will be cash. The seller reserves the right to bid and reject any and all bids.

Travis Stacy
Loan Officer
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(Pub. June 8, 15)

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Notice is hereby given on this 2 day of June 2006, that Claude Estill Howard has been appointed the Executor of the Marie Howard Estate. Anyone indebted to said Estate should pay the undersigned immediately. Anyone having a claim of any nature against said Estate should file the same, properly verified, with the undersigned no later than six (6) months from the date of this publication.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Reva Crase Shepherd of the Estate of Kenneth Crase has filed a Final Settlement with the Morgan County District Court. Anyone wishing to make any exceptions to this Final Settlement must do so on or before 10:00 a.m. July 11, 2006, the date of the hearing. Donna L. Pelfrey
Clerk, Morgan Circuit Court
Morgan County Courthouse
Box 85
West Liberty, Ky. 41472
C-6-8-1t

NOTICE OF SALE

Bank of the Mountains will offer for sale at public auction the following items: 2005 Royal Cargo Trailer, 5x8, serial number 5LABE08185M058467. This sale will be conducted on the lot behind Bank of the Mountains in West Liberty, Ky. The sale will begin at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 17, 2006.

This trailer may be inspected by prospective purchasers between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Friday, June 16, 2006 prior to the sale date.

This item will be sold as is and the terms will be cash. The seller reserves the right to bid and reject any and all bids.

Travis Stacy,
Loan Officer
C-6-8-2t
(Pub. June 8, 15)

Trivia Tidbit

Charles Heavyside was a Canadian poet and dramatist.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF INTENT TO REQUEST A RELEASE OF FUNDS

June 8, 2006
Kentucky Housing Corporation
1231 Louisville Road
Frankfort, KY 40601
Mark Offerman, Chief Officer
To All Interested Agencies, Groups, and Persons:

On or about June 24, 2006, Kentucky Housing Corporation (KHC) will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to release Federal funds for the following project:

Project:-Gateway Community Service Organization, Inc.--Gateway CSO HOME Partnership Phase II

Purpose: Gateway Community Service Organization, Inc., (GCSO) will demolish seven dilapidated houses or mobile homes in the Menifee and Morgan counties and replace them with either a new stick built or manufactured unit. The targeted group of homeowners will be elderly, disabled and/or very low income (0-30% AMI Area Median Income). Additional units may be completed in the next few years if the initial project goes smoothly. The project could also, under certain conditions, assist up to three families to rehabilitate their current dilapidated housing.

Location: Unspecified locations in Menifee and Morgan Counties, Kentucky.

Approximate HOME Funds in Project: \$462,000 of HOME funds.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by KHC which documents the environmental review of the project. The Environmental Review Record in on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request during normal business hours.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by KHC to the Chief Officer, Attention: Crystal Harrod. Such written comments should be received at the above address on or before June 23, 2006. All such comments so received will be considered and KHC will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

KHC will undertake the project described above with HOME funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. KHC is certifying that KHC as State Participating Jurisdiction consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, KHC may use the HOME funds and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and other related laws and authorities. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) That the certification was not in fact executed by KHC's Certifying Officer; or (b) that KHC has failed to make one of the two findings pursuant to 24 CFR Part 58 Sec. 58.40 or to make the written determination required by Secs. 58.35, 58.47 or 58.53 for the project, as applicable; or (c) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth as subparts E of 24 CFR Part 58 for preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Assessment; or (d) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts F and G of 24 CFR Part 58 for the conduct, preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Impact Statement, if applicable; or (e) KHC has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before release of funds and approval of the environmental certification by HUD; or (f) A Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and many be addressed to: Ms. Virginia Peck, Director,

Office of Community Planning and Development, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, 601 West Broadway, Room 110, Louisville, KY 40202. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD. No objection received after July 10, 2006 will be considered by HUD.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Bank of the Mountains will offer for sale at public auction the following items:

2001 Chevrolet Silverado Extended Cab 4x4 VIN # 1GCEK19T01E142775. This sale will be conducted on the lot behind Bank of the Mountains in West Liberty, KY. The sale will begin at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 17, 2006.

This vehicle may be inspected by prospective purchasers between the hours of 9:00 and 3:00 p.m. Friday, June 16, 2006 prior to the sale date.

This item will be sold as is and the terms will be cash. The seller reserves the right to bid and reject any and all bids.

Jeff Gevedon
Loan Officer
C-6-8-2t
(Pub. June 8, 15)

NOTICE OF SALE

Bank of the Mountains will offer for sale at public auction the following items:

1991 Ford F-150 VIN# 1FTDF15N7MLA2047. This sale will be conducted on the lot behind Bank of the Mountains in West Liberty, Ky. This sale will begin at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 17, 2006.

This vehicle may be inspected by prospective purchasers between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Friday, June 16, 2006, prior to the sale date.

This item will be sold as is and the terms will be cash. The seller reserves the right to bid and reject any and all bids.

Chris Cantrell
Loan Officer
C-6-8-2t
(Pub. June 8, 15)

NOTICE OF SALE

Bank of the Mountains will offer for sale at public auction the following items: Wrecked 1998 Oldsmobile Intrigue VIN #1G3WS52K2WF300516. This sale will be conducted on the lot behind Bank of the Mountains in West Liberty, KY. The sale will begin at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 17, 2006.

This vehicle may be inspected by prospective purchasers between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Friday, June 16, 2006, at Frisby's Garage located on Hwy. 191, West Liberty, Ky., prior to the sale date.

This item will be sold as is and the terms will be cash. The seller reserves the right to bid and reject any and all bids.

Travis Stacy
Loan Officer
C-6-8-2t
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JOB OPPORTUNITY Receptionist

Gateway Community Services, with central offices in West Liberty, Kentucky, is seeking a full time Receptionist. The incumbent will provide efficient and professional support over the phone and in person. The successful candidate must perform general secretarial, administrative and light janitorial tasks. High School Diploma or equivalent is required. Preferred candidates will have two years experience and possess knowledge in modern administrative office practices, including: Microsoft Office software, writing techniques, oral and written communication skills, and interpersonal skills. Ability to interface with all levels of clientele, visitors, and/or personnel is a must. Beginning salary is \$7.50 per hour, with full benefits after completion of introductory period. Complete job description may be viewed at www.gcscap.org. Applications may be picked up at Gateway's Central Office, 124 College Street, West Liberty.

Resumes and/or applications accepted until June 23rd--4:00 p.m. Please forward your resume/application to: Stephanie Sargent, Gateway Community Services, P.O. Box 367, West Liberty, Kentucky 41472.

C-6-8-2t

Trivia Tidbit

Elwood Haynes was a pioneer American automobile inventor and manufacturer.

NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 04-CI-00106

Beneficial Kentucky, Inc. d/b/a Beneficial Mortgage Co. Of Kentucky, Plaintiffs vs. Jason Cantrell, et al, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 23rd day of January, 2006, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of June, 2006, at the hour of 10:15 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Tract 1:

A certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan on the waters of Middle Fork of Elk Fork of Licking River and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the Northwest side of KY. Hwy. 589 at a culvert; thence running in a Northwesterly course approximately 5 feet to a steel stake located at the edge of a drain; thence running in a northwesterly course approximately 140 feet to a steel stake at the corner of the barn; thence running in a Southwesterly course approximately 100 feet to a steel stake on the hill; thence running in a Southerly course approximately 250 feet around the hill to a steel stake above a big hickory tree; thence running in a generally Southeasterly course approximately 100 feet to a steel stake at the highway; thence running in a Northeasterly course with KY Highway 589 approximately 200 feet to the culvert, being the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Shawn Cantrell and Johnnda Cantrell, husband and wife, by Deed dated August 4, 1994, and recorded in Deed Book 165, Page 531, in the Office of the Clerk of the County Court of Morgan County, Kentucky.

Tract 2:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan, on the waters of Middlefork of Elkfork, of Licking River, and further bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a willow at the mouth of the Middlefork; thence up the Middlefork, waters to a water birch at the mouth of the Craig Day Branch; thence North with road and fence to a set stone near Willie Adkins garden; thence West course with a wire fence up the hill to a chestnut oak at the top of the hill; thence with middle of ridge with wire fence back to the mouth of Middlefork the beginning containing 40 acres, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Shawn Cantrell and Johnnda Cantrell, husband and wife, by Deed dated April 18, 1997, and recorded in Deed Book 175, Page 115, in the Office of the Clerk aforesaid.

There Is Excepted From The Above-Described Tracts. The Following Parcels Of Land heretofore Conveyed And Were Not Set Forth In The Above-Mentioned Deeds.

Parcel 1:

The following described real estate conveyed by Vencil Adkins and Bonnie Adkins, husband and wife, to Lenville Holbrook by Deed dated March 2, 1983, and recorded in Deed book 135, Page 449, in the Office of the Clerk aforesaid, and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the line of Curt Keeton and Middle Fork; thence running in an easterly direction with Middle Fork to the mouth of the Craig Day branch; thence running in a northerly course with the Craig Day Branch to Kentucky Highway No. 589; thence running in a westerly course with Kentucky Highway No. 589 to the Curt Keeton line; thence running in a southerly course with the Curt Keeton line to the point of beginning, containing approximately ten acres, more or less.

Parcel 2:

The following described real estate conveyed by Vencil Adkins and Bonnie Adkins, husband and wife, to Lenville Holbrook and Rebecca Holbrook, husband and

wife, by Deed dated March 25, 1985, and recorded in Deed Book 139, Page 803, in the Office of the Clerk aforesaid, and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING on the North side of KY Highway #589 at the Craig Day Branch and the corner of the property owned by Eula Burke; thence running in a northerly course with the Craig Day Brand to intersection of the old road and fence; thence continuing in a northerly course with the road and fence; thence continuing in a northerly course with the road and fence; thence continuing in a northerly course with the road and fence to a set stone at the Willie Adkins line, now Donna June Ferguson line; thence in a westerly course with the wire fence up the hill to a chestnut oak at the top of the hill; thence continuing with the wire fence located at the middle of the ridge; thence with said wire fence running off the ridge to the Adkins cemetery; thence running with the present boundary on the east side of the old road leading to the cemetery in a direction down the hill to KY Highway 589; thence running in an easterly course with KY Highway 589 to the point of beginning, containing approximately 15 acres, more or less.

First parties further give and grant to the parties of the second part the right and use of a road known as the old road to the cemetery for a width of fifteen (15') feet running from KY Highway 589 to the cemetery and the boundary of the property above conveyed, with this right of way and easement to be used for all purposes so desired by the second parties.

The first parties also retain for themselves and all adjoining landowners the use and right of ingress, egress and regress for a width of fifteen (15') feet the existing road running from KY Highway 589 to the property now owned by Donna June Ferguson.

The first parties also retain a lifetime interest in and to an additional cemetery located near KY Highway 589 known as the Day Cemetery.

The coal rights are conveyed in their entirety to the second parties, however, the first parties retain a lifetime interest in and to one-half of the oil and gas rights with the other one-half conveyed by this document.

Also Included herein is a 1992 Crimson double-wide mobile home, VIN: CALS1514A&B, which is located on the above described real estate (herein, the "collateral").

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally a lien shall be retained upon the real Estate to be sold, herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any

improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2006 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
Master Commissioner
Morgan Circuit Court
301 West Main Street
Grayson, KY 41143
C-6-8-3t
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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS Opportunity for Position with Gateway Community Services Organization, Inc. Adult Day Care Program

Gateway Adult Day Care is accepting applications for the position of Adult Day Care Center Aide in Morgan County. The position is part-time, 7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday. Starting pay rate is minimum wage.

Minimum Education Requirements; GED or High School Diploma. Experience working with the elderly is preferred. Must have a valid driver's license.

The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, June 16, 2006. You may obtain an application at our central office located at 124 College Street, West Liberty, KY or call 743--3133. Completed applications may be submitted directly to the central office or mailed to P.O. Box 367, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. Mailed applications must be postmarked on or before Friday, June 16, 2006.

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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 05-CI-00260

Farmers & Traders Bank, Plaintiffs vs. Anthony Gullett, et al, Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 27th day of March, 2006, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, Morgan County, West Liberty, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of June, 2006, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING on a rock marked "X" in the forks of the branch a corner between C.H. Black and S. Angie Cantrell; thence running up the hill a westerly course to a stone marked "X" on top of the hill and a corner between C.H. Black and Wiley Litteral; thence with the ridge and the old Hazelrigg line to Charlie McKenzie's line; and thence with the ridge and Hazelrigg line to a stone near a large chestnut oak, Mace Cantrell's corner; thence down the point with said Cantrell's line to the point of beginning ancon reserving from this conveyance the oil and gas which was reserved by Emma Saylor.

Being the same property conveyed to Anthony Gullett, single, by deed from Tayse Moore and Mary B. Moore, his wife, dated March 28, 2000, recorded in Deed book 184, Page 579, Morgan County Clerk's Office.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of twenty (20%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the

SEE LEGALS Page 7B..



Huff receives Doctor of Medicine degree from University of Louisville

The University of Louisville School of Medicine held its 168th Commencement on Saturday, May 13, 2006, at the Kentucky International Convention Center. Among the 138 receiving the Doctor of Medicine degree was John Arthur Huff, center, Louisville, Kentucky. Dr. Huff is a graduate of Wolfe County High School and Georgetown College. He is the son of Ernie and Peggy Huff, Hazel Green, Kentucky, and grandson of Jack and Eula Mae Buchanan Hutchins, Hazel Green, and the late Arthur and Georgia Huff, Harlan. Dr. Huff will begin his residency in internal medicine with the University of Louisville Affiliated Hospitals, Louisville, Kentucky, in July.

Circuit Court ...

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Aaron Lee Lewis, 34, of Blaze Road pleaded guilty to 1st degree fleeing or evading police, 1st degree wanton endangerment. The Commonwealth recommended three-year prison sentences on each count to be served concurrently. Lewis also pleaded guilty to operating a motor vehicle on suspended license for which the Commonwealth recommended a 30-day jail sentence and a \$200 fine.

Roy D. Mallott, 46, of Malone pleaded guilty to flagrant non support and received a recommended two-year sentence.

William K. Johnson, pleaded guilty to operating a motor vehicle under the influence of al-

cohol/drugs and to an amended charge of 1st degree assault of a police officer. The Commonwealth recommended a \$250 fine and five years probation. A number of other charges relating to a June 12, 2004, incident in which Johnson failed to stop at a police road block, injuring a West Liberty police officer, were dismissed.

William R. Graham, an inmate at Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex, pleaded guilty to assaulting another inmate and was meted a two-year sentence.

John Dulen, 49, of U.S. 460 W., West Liberty, pleaded guilty to 3rd degree assault, 2nd degree criminal mischief, and resisting arrest and received a recommended sentence of 12 months on each count to be served concurrently.

The following cases were redocketed:

Michael Mays, charged with forgery 2nd degree and criminal possession of a forged instrument.

Jack Sharp, charged with possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, trafficking in marijuana, use/possession of drug paraphernalia, and 3rd degree trafficking in a controlled substance.

James G. Rupe, charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs 3rd offense, operating motor vehicle on suspended/revoked license, possession of marijuana, 1st degree possession of a controlled substance, use/possession of drug paraphernalia.

Mitchell Robbins, theft by failure to make required disposition of property over \$300.

John R. Pack, receiving stolen property.

Chris Riddle, promoting contraband 1st degree.

Larry C. Hollon, flagrant non support (2 counts).

Environmentalists, foresters at odds over burning plan

Environmentalists are opposing a move by the U.S. Forest Service to cut trees and burn ground clutter near a pristine trout stream in the southernmost portion of the Daniel Boone National Forest.

"The latest battle between environmentalist and foresters on how to best manage the federal land is taking place on the hill-sides around Rock Creek, which originates in Tennessee and flows into Kentucky south of Stearns," writes Roger Alford of The Associated Press.

The plan is to cut trees on 1,619 acres, build 8.6 miles of roads, burn ground clutter on 7,560 acres and spread herbicide on more than 1,000 acres, writes Alford. Perrin de Jong, head of the environmental group Kentucky Heartwood, told AP the group opposes any such activities around Rock Creek, a stream so pure in its upper reaches that the Kentucky Division of Water made it part of the state's "Wild River" program.

The proposal's opponents asked for an impact study to gauge the proposed project's effects. De Jong told AP, "Rock Creek is too valuable ... for us to be logging, road-building and spraying herbicides. We need to protect it and make sure the place remains ... wild and scenic." Rex Mann, a forest service spokesman in Winchester, told AP no logging would occur near the stream and water quality would not change.

—Ky. Institute for Rural Journalism

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

Monday, June 12--Hotdog, baked beans, creamy cole slaw, bun, mustard, ketchup, peach crisp, milk.

Tuesday, June 13--Chicken salad sandwich, potato, oriental mix vegetables, white/wheat, mayonnaise in salad, mixed fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday, June 14--Ham slices in raisin sauce, sweet potatoes, seasoned green beans, yeast roll, margarine, chocolate cake/fudge frosting, milk.

Thursday, June 15--Roast beef AuJus, spanish rice, cabbage auGratin, white/wheat, margarine, rosy pears, milk.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

Here is my year renewal of the Licking Valley Courier. I always look forward to receiving my paper and reading up on all the news of the place where I was born and raised.

Thanks a lot,
Willa McGuire
1853 Beatty Road.
Waverly, Ohio 45690

Career Education at Wrigley Elementary



Ashley Stamper,
Commercial Bank



Phillip Kidd,
KY State Police



Marshall Jenkins,
Radiology



Judy Elam,
ARH Home Health



David Patrick,
WKYT TV



Judd McCowan,
EKCC



Greg Chaney,
Licking Valley RECC



Mickey Whitt,
Morgan Co. Sheriff



Reggie Easterling,
Mt. Telephone



James Fyffe, Owner
Fyffe Builders



Steve O'Connor,
County Attorney



Denise Spoelker,
Speech Pathology



David Fugate,
West Liberty Vet Clinic



Scott Linkous & Nathan Frederick,
Morgan Co. Area Tech Center

Career Awareness was held during the months of February and March for Wrigley Elementary fifth graders to help them understand and learn about careers, which is a part of Kentucky's CATS Assessment. Numerous professionals, including those shown above, were invited in to share information about their professions. The students and their teacher, Michelle McCarty, would like to thank all the speakers who took time out their busy schedules to assist with career education.

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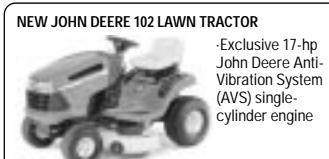
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purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real proptry, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2006 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
Master Commissioner
Morgan Circuit court
301 West Main Street
Grayson, KY 41143
C-6-8-3t
(Pub. June 8, 15, 22)

NOTICE OF SALE
Commonwealth Of Kentucky
Morgan Circuit Court
Case No. 05-CI-00191
Bank of the Mountains, Inc.,
Plaintiffs
vs.
Bill Mayabb, et al,
Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgement and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 24th day of April, 2006, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the followint terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of June, 2006, at the hour of 10:45 p.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a set stone in the forks of the road leading to the Yocum Branch Ezel and Pekin; thence with the county road to the set stone at George Stambough's line; thence with Stambough's up the hill to James Henry's line; thence around the ridge with Jim Henry's line to a chestnut oak stump up the hill to Estil Leach's line continuing around the ridge with said Leach's line to a black oak tree; thence down the hill with the same ridge to a black oak tree

at county road; thence crossing the road with the ridge and Wendal Cole's line to same black oak bushes at Wincie Phillips line; thence an eastern course with the said Phillips line to the county road; thence corssing the road an eastern course to the beginning corner, containing about forty acres, to be same, more or less.

There are EXCEPTED from the above described property the following tracts or parcels of land:

1. A Right of Way Deed from Charles Coffee, et us, to the County of Morgan, dated 21 August, 1961, recorded in Deed book 98, at page 183.

2. A Right of Way Deed from Charles Coffee, et ux, to the County of Morgan, dated 20 May, 1975, recorded in Deed Book 118, page 61.

3. An out conveyance from Charles Coffee, et ux, to Bertie Lue Cornett, twelve acres, dated 5 December, 1969, recorded in Deed Book 106, page 252.

4. An out conveyance to Danny Hollon dated 21 March, 1991, and recorded in Deed Book 154, at page 141, and to Amos Smith dated____, recorded in Deed Book____, page____.

There is also EXCLUDED an out conveyance to Nellie Shelton from Curt and Angela Mayabb, date 6 June, 2000, and recorded in Deed Book 185, page 235, and reference is made to said book and page for a more definite description of said property.

Being the same property conveyed to Bill Mayabb and Mandy Mayabb, husband and wife, from Curt Mayabb and Ann Mayabb, by deed dated June 23, 2000, and recorded in Deed Book 185, page 359, Morgan County Court Clerk's Records; and being the same property conveyed to Billy Joe Mayabb, a/k/a Bill Mayabb, from Mandy Ray Jones, formerly Mandy Ray Jones Mayabb, single, by Quitclaim Deed dated March 10, 2006, recorded in Deed Book 205, page 637, Morgan County Court Clerk's Records.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent pr annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements of the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner'sSale.

The purchase shall be required

to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2006 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
Master Commissioner
Morgan Circuit Court
301 West Main Street
Grayson, KY 41143
C-6-8-3t
(Pub. June 8, 15, 22)

NOTICE OF SALE
Commonwealth Of Kentucky
Morgan Circuit Court
Case No. 05-CI-00317
Farmers And Traders Bank,
Plaintiff
vs.
Richard Dehaven, et al,
Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 23rd day of March, 2006, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of June, 2006, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a set stone in the line of Glenn Prater and F&M&H&H Construction Company, Inc.; Thence a westerly direction 400 feet with the Glenn Prater line to the line of U.R. Nickell, thence with U.R. Nickell line a southerly direction 332 feet to the Mary Nickell line; thence an easterly direction with Mary Nickell line 236 feet to the line of Garlie Clevenger; thence with Garlie Clevenger line a northerly direction a distance of 129 feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same land conveyed to Richard Dehaven from Danny Haney and Patty Haney, husband and wife, Larry Haney and Betty Haney, husband and wife, by deed entered the 5th day of February, 1997, and recorded in Deed Book 174, page 317, of the Morgan County Court Clerk's Records.

There is excepted from the above described property that tract or parcel of land which was conveyed to Danny Haney and Patty Haney from Ray Haney, Zola Haney, and Jewel Haney, by deed dated the 14th day of November, 1980, and recorded in Deed Book 131, page 39, of the Morgan County Court Clerk's Records.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any pruchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herin.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Palintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2006 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
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Morgan Circuit Court
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NOTICE OF SALE
Commonwealth of Kentucky
Morgan Circuit Court
Case No. 05-CI-00252
Bank of the Mountains, Inc.,
Plaintiffs

vs.
Dennie Perkins,
Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 27th day of February, 2006, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of June, 2006, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a culvert and small drain at the southern end of Dora Perkins property on Murphy Fork Road; thence up the drain a western direction approximately 405 feet to a fence; thence north with the fence up the hill approximately 200 feet to the fence corner; thence east down the hill approximately 180 feet; thence northeast around the hill with the fence approximately 130 feet; thence north with the fence approximately 30 feet to an electric pole; thence east toward Murphy Fork Road approximately 72 feet to another electric pole; thence straight down the hill in the same direction approximately 50 feet to Murphy Fork Road; thence south with the Murphy Fork Road approximately 270 feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Dennie Perkins, single, by Deed dated the ____day of December, 2003, from Dora Perkins, single and recorded in Deed Book 197, page 145, Morgan County Clerk's Records.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond,

then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2006 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF BLASTING SCHEDULE

In accordance with 405 KAR 16:120E, Morgan County Coal, Inc., Permit 888-0087 proposes to conduct blasting operations on approximately 162.76 surface acres located approximately 0.05 miles north of Matthew in Morgan County. Blasting is proposed to begin on or about February 27, 2006.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.053 miles north of KY 364's junction with KY 1969, and is located 0.03 miles west of Tarkiln Branch. KY 364 may be closed periodically for short periods of time due to blasting.

Blasting will be conducted during daylight hours, Monday thru Saturday. No blasting will be done from sunset to sunrise. Access to the area will be blocked then (10) minutes prior to shot by a company representative. Appropriate sign and markers will be placed at all entrances to the mine to regulate entry to the blasting area.

The warning signal and all clear signals, using a siren, will be audible within one-half mile of the blasting area, and will be sounded before and following a blast. A series of one-minute blasts of the siren will be sounded five minutes prior to the blast signal. The blast signal will be a series of short blasts sounded one minute prior to the blast. The all clear signal following blasting will be one (1) prolonged blast of a siren.

All blasting will be conducted during the designated time periods except in case of emergency conditions. Emergency conditions may include but not limited to rain, lightning or other atmospheric conditions, management problems or safety to the public or operator. In the event of any emergency, all residents/ personnel within one-half mile will be orally notified, and the signal sounded before detonation.

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Citizen Corps Awareness Training

Citizen Corps Awareness Training is slated Tuesday, June 13, 5 to 9 p.m., at the Morgan County Regional Technology Center, 151 University Drive, West Liberty. Food will be provided to all volunteers who R.S.V.P. by 4 p.m. on Tuesday, June 6. Please R.S.V.P. to (606) 674-6355. For more information call Wesley Delk, Regional Coordinator, (606) 674-6355, or e-mail to: wesley.delk@ky.gov. There is a place for all volunteers in Citizen Corps, regardless of age, gender, or disability!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY MAY 31, 2006

A Tribute to John Hammons who went to be with the Lord one week before his 86th birthday

(Written by Kay Rachford)
Happy Birthday to someone special who is Eighty Six years old
Today you celebrate your blessings and riches untold... Your wealth can't be measured in greenback, silver, or gold, Your riches are in the form of loving hearts, the honor they bestow, undying devotion, and the hands there for you to hold.

Count the blessings there with you today; There's Kay, Darris, Sharion, Lill, Susie, and Joey.
And we must celebrate your title of GRANDFATHER, by naming the grandchildren: Some will be present today only in their hearts. There's Toby, Jenny, Jonathan, Zachary, Hilary, Isaac, Shelley, Alex, and Katie.
Nine grandchildren to be celebrating!

You have another title to celebrate today...GREAT GRANDFATHER to three With two more on the way.
For your 86th birthday, Madison, John Robert, and Emilio blow kisses your wayAnd say they'd like to be just like you someday...
And some day these little ones will say to their moms Please tell me the story about this man named JOHN;

He was born and raised on a Straight Creek farm
He lived in a log cabin, milked cows in the barn
He walked up the road to a one-room country school
He learned reading, arithmetic, and ciphering...and the golden rule.

He ran barefoot through the woods, fields, and streams
Went fishing, and hunting, churned butter from cream
Drew water from the well, fed chickens, slopped hogs
Hoed the garden, cut tobacco, dug potatoes, chopped logs.

His hands have held a baby, a banjo, and a gun
He soldiered for his country until freedom was won
He first made a living by plowing the land
But the fields did not yield enough for this man
To make a decent living, so he made a new plan.

He worked away as a carpenter... far from the hills
He 'came in' on weekends with money to pay bills
His work with the hammer was quite a hard life
But he kept at it for the love of his kids, home, and his wife.

He played banjoy, sang songs, and walked country miles
Through it all, we remember him for his laughter and smiles
We remember the energy that sustained him through life's difficult rhythms
His enthisiiasm that conquered hardships and pushed him onward without misgivings.

This man named JOHN could NEVER be called poor or OLD
He has daughters, sons, grandchildren, great grandchildren
And... he even has his name on a ROAD
He has memories of places and times where neither you or I will ever go
He has been undaunted in pursuing his dreams and he has accomplished his goals,
Now wouldn't you say that this man named JOHN has riches untold!

Have a richly blessed and wonderful birthday.

Our love,
Kay, Darris, Sharion,
Lillian, Susie, Joey
(pd)

W.O.W. gospel singing cancelled this month

There will be no monthly singing at Woodmen of the World Lodge the month of June. Singings will resume on Saturday, July 15.

C-6-8-2t

Trivia Tidbit

William Hazlitt was a master essayist and critic.

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CIRCUIT COURT

New civil cases – Greg Whitt vs. Bizzack, Inc., May 26; Donald A. Simmons #159566 vs. Connie Sue Simmons-Smith, May 30; Brian Allen Charles #182322 vs. Otis Cooper, May 30; Charles Lewis III vs. Johnna Caskey Lewis, May 31; Keith Scott Belt #172215 vs. Pamela Ann Belt, May 31; Joseph J. Rogers #176296 vs. Lanita L. Williams Rogers, May 31; Vincent L. Spratley #103122 vs. Warden John Motley et al, May 31; Charles Gibson Sr. et al vs. Joseph J. Thornsberry, June 1; Ralph J. Cordle vs. Elizabeth Ann Cordle, June 1.

CLARIFICATION

Joseph Helton, Sr., was inadvertently listed as a defendant in the court news last week. The name of the person charged should have been listed as Joseph Helton, Jr.

DISTRICT COURT

New civil cases – Republic Bank and Trust Company vs. Mandie Sell, May 30.

Arraignments – Preliminary hearing – Franklin L. Murphy – arson (first degree), wanton endangerment (first degree, two counts) – matter bound over to grand jury.

Sheila L. Peyton – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pled guilty, 30 days with 27 days conditional discharge.

Elmer L. Trusty – assault (fourth degree, domestic violence/minor injury) – pled guilty, 60 days with 53 days conditional discharge.

Beanita S. Adkins – speeding 14 mph over limit – order entered.

Mary L. Bentley – speeding 10 mph over limit – order entered.

Charlotte J. Bolin – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 (two counts) – pled guilty, \$50.

Carolyn A. Collinsworth – speeding 10 mph over limit, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, improper equipment – order entered.

Gregory L. Cox – no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, failure to wear seatbelts – rescheduled for June 27.

Angela D. Crase – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pled guilty, 90 days conditional discharge; failure to wear seatbelts – pled guilty, \$25; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pled not guilty, pre-trial conference June 27.

Bradley DeLong – entry on land to shoot, hunt, fish or trap without consent, illegal taking, pursuing or molesting any deer, wild turkey or elk – pled guilty \$300.

Charles Gibson Jr. – passing loading/unloading school/church bus – pled not guilty, pre-trial conference June 27.

Steven R. Gilliam – speeding 10 mph over limit, no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt – order entered.

Joseph S. Helton Jr. – improper start from parked position, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, failure to wear seatbelts (two counts) – order entered.

James R. Hoover – speeding 15 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school; no insurance (first offense) – pled guilty, \$500.

Mary A. Keeton – no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pled not guilty, pre-trial conference June 27.

Jeremiah J. Lambert – failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

David C. Long – speeding 15 mph over limit, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – order entered.

Tonya Moore – theft by failure to make required disposition of property over \$300 – preliminary hearing June 6.

Samuel J. Roberts – possession of controlled substance (first offense), controlled substance prescription not in original container – pled not guilty, pre-trial conference June 27.

William A. Scott – defective equipment – pled guilty, \$28; failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance – pled guilty, \$500.

Kevin L. Stamper – speeding 15 mph over limit – pled guilty, \$30.

Nicholas D. Stevens – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

Lensae M. Vanhoose – speeding 10 mph over limit, failure of owner to maintain require insurance/security – order entered.

Roger W. Watson – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 (two counts) – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

Emerson L. Williams – reckless driving – failed to appear.

Joshua T. Wright – violation of noise control ordinance – pre-trial deferral agreement (12 months).

Pre-trial conference – Terry L. Adams – assault (fourth degree, no visible injury) – pled guilty, 60 days conditional discharge.

Preliminary hearing – Joshua E. Dye – burglary (second degree) – preliminary hearing rescheduled for June 27.

Pre-trial conference – Joseph R. Fyffe – no/expired registration

plates, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, failure to wear seatbelts – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

Pre-trial conference – Joseph R. Fyffe – no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, no/expired registration plates, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, failure to wear seatbelts, improper registration plate – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

Pre-trial conference – Terry N. Harvey – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

Pre-trial conference – Jesse Hicks – menacing – pre-trial deferral agreement (24 months).

Pre-trial conference – Joe A. Little – use/possession of drug paraphernalia (first offense) – jury trial Sept. 20.

Pre-trial conference – James R. Preston – illegal taking, pursuing or molesting of any deer, wild turkey or elk, entry on land to shoot, hunt, fish or trap without consent – pled guilty, \$300.

Pre-trial conference – Nicholas Ratliff – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 (two counts) – pled guilty, 30 days.

Pre-trial conference – Jackie C. Sharp II – speeding 15 mph over limit, possession of marijuana, possession of controlled substance (third degree, first offense, drug unspecified), controlled substance prescription not in original container – jury trial Sept. 20.

Pre-trial conference – Linda Whitt – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 (three counts) – rescheduled for June 27 by agreement.

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Pre-trial conference – Linda G. Whitt – alcohol intoxication in a public place – rescheduled for June 27 by agreement.

Pre-trial conference – Bradford P. Pelfrey – speeding 13 mph over limit, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs (second offense), failure to notify address change to department of transportation – rescheduled for Aug. 15, jury trial Aug. 16.

David A. Blair – assault (fourth degree domestic violence, minor injury) – no unlawful contact.

Pre-trial conference – Jeffery L. Evans – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – jury trial Aug. 16.

Pre-trial conference – Timothy D. Ferguson – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, leaving scene of accident/failure to render aid or assistance – order entered for special judge.

Pre-trial conference – Jason W. Gevedon – speeding 26 mph over limit – pled guilty, \$60; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, 90 days juvenile detention (serve 10), loss of license until age 18 or 90 days.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Randy Williams, Morgan County Court Clerk, has issued the following marriage licenses.

Robin L. Long, 26, of Campton, daughter of Phyllis Tolson Long and Manuel Long, to Lester A. Hittepole, 23, of West Liberty, son of Lyndia Cottle Hittepole and Daniel Hittepole.

Pennie Marie Garland, 37, of Ezel, daughter of Maruina Wills Silverman and Joseph Peter Zemattis, to Clifford Miller, 40, of Ezel, son of Bessie Allen Gibbins Miller and Johnnie Miller.

Marjolanie Beth Larson, 37, of Viking Blvd., Cedar, MN, daughter of Ann Marie Malecha Fredenberg and Jack Fredenberg, to Michael Wayne Pound, 35, of West Liberty, son of Kathy Wilkerson and Carl Pound.

Miranda Marie Cantrell, 22, of West Liberty, daughter of Donna Havens Cantrell and Jack Scott Cantrell, to Joshua Braxton James, 23, of West Liberty, son of Linda Patrick Evans and Danny James, Jr.

Shauna Jo Dillard, 36, of West Liberty, daughter of Evon Eastead Sizemore and Forest, to Meredith Guy Engle, 53, of West Liberty, son of Darlene Day Engle and Lexie Engle.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Bank of the Mountains to Jeff Standafer and John Standafer, Ridge View Court Road, \$25,000.

Donald Romans and Lula Mae, to Michael D. Wallace, 14 to 15 acres, but sold by boundary and not by acreage on Frank Blevins Road, \$19,000.

Bobby Perkins, Charles Young and Helen, James Blankenship and Dora, to Curtis Frisby and Glenda, \$1.00 cash in hand paid on the waters of Little Caney, containing 1 1/4 acres, more or less.

Marlin and Anita Frederick to Citadel Capital LLC, Junction of Main Street and Gullett Street, 0.75 acres, more or less, \$480,000.

Lenville Holbrook and Bonnie to Beth Ann Holbrook, 75 acres, more or less, on the waters of Middle Fork of Elkfork, \$19,500.

William Holbrook and Pamela to Beth Ann Holbrook, Elkfork, love and affection.

WORDS OF WISDOM

It's not charisma, or barnstorming antics, or grand pronouncements that make a great leader; it's a very real concern and respect for people of every level...and the courage to act in their interest.

—Beverly Kaye

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Pence says he won't be Fletcher's running mate

By John Whitlock
Kentucky Press Association
News Bureau

June 1 — Regardless who wins the Republican or Democratic nominations for Kentucky governor next year, there will not be a Fletcher/Pence ticket.

Wednesday, Lt. Gov. Steve Pence announced he wouldn't join Fletcher in seeking the Republican Party nomination for the top spots in state government.

Pence, who informed Fletcher on his decision with a telephone call Tuesday evening, said it was a personal decision based on lengthy discussions with friends and family. Pence also acknowledged discussing his decision with U.S. Senator Mitch McConnell.

Although the merit-hiring scandal wasn't the deciding factor in his decision, Pence said the lingering controversy didn't help.

"This decision is in the interest of what is best for my family," Pence said.

Pence said he has no plans to seek elected office but acknowledged that could change, saying he hadn't planned on running for lieutenant governor until shortly before the primary.

Fletcher, who is vacationing in Florida, released a statement through his spokesman Brent Hall praising Pence's work.

"Steve Pence these past years has served his commonwealth by helping me implement effective narcotics enforcement, updating our sex offender laws and im-

proving our criminal justice system," Fletcher said in the statement.

The governor also took aim at Attorney General Greg Stumbo's continuing investigation into merit system hiring and the controversy it has created.

"I fully understand Steve's decision," Fletcher said in the statement. "This has been a tough work environment, with or without Greg Stumbo's relentless attacks. Lt. Gov. Pence has made a decision he believes is in his best interest and whether or not one agrees with it is not the issue."

Hall said the administration is preparing a list of candidates to take over Pence's duties as secretary of the Justice Cabinet, a post he will step down from on

Aug. 1.

Hall declined to name any of the potential candidates. But responding to a reporter's question, Hall said Robbie Rudolph, secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet, would be "on the top of anyone's list."

Hall said Pence told Fletcher that he would not seek the governor's office as long as Fletcher is on the ticket.

Hall said there was no pressure from the leaders of the Republican Party for a change.

"This is not a party of bosses," Hall said. "... Forty-seven percent of registered voters in this state are Republican. That's who we listen to."

As he left the press conference Wednesday, Pence was asked if he told Fletcher he would support his bid for re-election. Although Pence paused for a moment as he left, the question went unanswered.

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Manning and Moore reunion set July 3rd

The family of the late Ealie and Grace Moore Manning invite friends and family to a family reunion on Monday, July 3, at Miamisburg Mound Park, Miamisburg, Ohio. The park is open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Lunch will be served around 12 noon. Please bring a dish of food to share with everyone at come enjoy the day. For additional information call Clyde and Wanda Manning, (513) 705-6106, or Fern Sexton Ross, (574) 533-9558.

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String Along Quilt Guild member, Roberta Hutchinson, at right, shared a butterfly quilt with members at a recent String Along meeting. The quilt, made by Roberta's mother, Lexie Ferguson, was made in 1969 from pieces of Roberta and her mother's dresses. Mrs. Wanda Holbrook, is at left.

Kentucky raises tax, growers adjust as the industry faces more change

Times keep changing on Tobacco Road. Kentucky, the state with the nation's lowest cigarette tax and largest number of tobacco farmers raised the tax tenfold June 1, and officials say the state will produce a lot less burley tobacco than last year. And though the federal tobacco program is over, and growers are diversifying, the industry still faces possible changes as a result of possible court and legislative action.

Kentucky's cigarette tax is going from 3 cents a pack to 30. Lexington Herald-Leader reporter Jim Warren writes, "Health advocates predict ... the tax will encourage some Kentuckians to quit smoking (but) ... more smokers might have been motivated if lawmakers had approved a bigger tax increase."

Associated Press reporter Betsy Verecky reports that health officials hope one penny of the tax hike, earmarked for researchers at cancer centers in Kentucky, "will help them better understand and treat cancer." The state will split the money between the University of Louisville's James Graham Brown Cancer Center and the University of Kentucky's Lucille P. Markey Cancer Center. (Read more) Kentucky has the nation's highest adult smoking rate at nearly 31 percent, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. It has some of the highest rates of tobacco-related tumors and lung cancer.

Meanwhile, from Washington, AP's Hilary Roxe writes, "The decision by Congress last year to end Depression-era price and production controls for U.S. tobacco

didn't close the federal debate. The future of tobacco is still under discussion in court and on Capitol Hill, and the industry could still face significant changes," especially if tobacco companies are found guilty of civil racketeering in a trial expected to end in June. The companies could face more suits, and more attention from lawmakers, said Richard A. Daynard, president of the Boston-based Tobacco Control Resource Center. Scott Balin, a former American Heart Association attorney who helped organize a coalition of farmers and health officials, tells Roxe, "The tobacco issue has not been resolved. That's the bottom line."

AP's Bruce Schreiner reports from Louisville that without the federal program, growers are moving more cautiously into a free market. He cites a Department of Agriculture report projecting a 31 percent drop in burley acreage in Kentucky, which "traditionally produces 70 percent of the nation's burley, the lighter-colored tobacco that is combined with the darker flue-cured variety in cigarettes," he writes. Production may not drop that much, because growers are under pressure to improve yields in a market that will pay them about one-fourth less per pound than last year, under contracts with cigarette companies.

Herald-Leader reporter Beverly Fortune writes of how some former burley farmers have turned to goats as an alternative cash crop. Larry Yearsley, she writes, "bought his first goats five years ago. Today he has a herd of more than 80 nannies and kids on the farm where he grew up, re-

named Just Kiddin' Boer Goats Farm." Kentucky's goat population ranks sixth in the nation with 70,000 animals, according to the Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service, up from 16,223 goats in 1997.

Meanwhile, the cable channel RFD-TV recently ran a news feature on Kentucky's cattle industry, the largest east of the Mississippi. The report was on The Cattle Show.

In Virginia, AP's Stephanie Stoughton nicely summarized a complex phenomenon that "dramatically altering the industry"—small cigarette companies that started after the 1998 settlement between states and big companies, but are now being forced by state legislatures to pay into the settlement.

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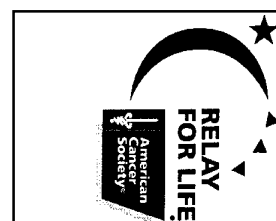
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Blair hangs up her whistle at West Liberty pool

Long-time swimming instructor Melinda C. Blair At this time I wish to thank everyone that took swimming lessons at the West Liberty Public Pool.

It is time for me to bring my work at the pool to a close. Some of you might not realize it but I have been working at the Kiwanis Public Pool for over forty years.

Under the direction of Mr. Aaron Walter, there is a new team of instructors. Please continue to support our pool. You can be assured that a competent, trained staff is working at the pool.

A special thank you to the Kiwanis Club. It is my hope that everyone will continue to support the Kiwanis Club and its many projects and activities. It is a non-profit organization that is responsible for many of the nice things in our community, including our parks, the swimming pool, tennis courts, little league park, and many, many others.

Thanks again for trusting me and the other staff at the Public Pool with the care of your chil-



Melinda C. Blair

dren and teaching them to swim. Please remember this is one gift you can give your children that might save their lives as well as provide a life full of wonderful swimming.

Melinda C. Blair

Daniel "The Reaper" Arnett beat "Red" Greg Howard to become a five-time and current Winning Table Tennis Association (WTTA) League Champion. The match was contested under old school 21 point rules.

The WTTA will be prompting various independent and joint events (with us) throughout the year. It's great to see the WTTA back in action as it helps the sport grow in popularity and diversity.

"The Wall" Joel Nickell and Scott Gevedon beat Andrew Lewis and Wes Turnbo in doubles action.

We would like to thank everyone who attended and helped to put on the event. This was truly a special night that I don't think anyone will soon forget. We would like to remind everyone that we play on Sundays, at the Morgan County Community Center Gym with a start time of 3:00 pm. If you would like to participate just stop in or call us at (606) 662-6332. For more information on our organization please visit us on the web at <http://gptt.tripod.com> Catch you next time!

Ratings for June 3 to June 10, 2006: Player; Rating, Won-Loss Record; and Previous Rating

GPTT Top 10

1. GPTT Champion: Byron Risner 4512 <42-12> (3)
2. Tyler Adkins 4267 <37-25> (1)
3. Pride Champion: Charles Standifer 4011 <29-17> (2)
4. Joel Nickell 4002 <37-23> (4)
5. Josh May 3610 <22-18> (6)
6. Challenge Champion: Cody Risner 3207 (8-9) (8) (Mover of the Week)
7. Andrew Lewis 3175 <27-31> (7)
8. Steve Patrick <12-11> 3172 (4)
9. Wesley Turnbo 2690 <30-34> (10)
10. Scott Gevedon 3060 <0-2> (nr) Provisional Rat

Doubles

1. Doubles Champions: Byron Risner and Charles Standifer (15-7)
2. Tyler Adkins and Josh May (11-7) Dbls Champs
3. Joel Nickell and Scott Gevedon (2-0)
4. Andrew Lewis and Wes Turnbo (0-2)
5. Cody Risner and Alice Turnbo

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Did you know that if your local Volunteer Fire Department can qualify for state aid funds, that money cannot be spent for vehicle insurance, gasoline or utilities?



Pictured above are Justin Flannery, Seth Howard, CJ Howard, Barry Frisby, and Justin Flannery.



Locals are winners in karate competition

Three martial arts enthusiasts from Morgan County competed in the Rising Sun Martial Arts competition — 2006 Dragon Warrior Championships — in Russell, Ky., on June 3.

Justin Flannery of Ezel won first place trophies in Kata, Kumite, and weapons. Seth Howard earned a second place trophy in Kumite and third in

Kata. CJ Howard won first place in Kata and Kumite and second in weapons.

All three boys also became members of Rising Sun Martial Arts Association, giving them the opportunity to attend seminars, camps, classes, and tournaments.

RSMAA is dedicated to the unification and support of all martial artists, a base of support

for any and all practitioners of martial arts, regardless of the style or system that a student or instructor is involved in.

The three competitors are students at Randy Williams Karate Studio in West Liberty. A special thanks to Barry Frisby for his attendance and support at the competition.

Grand Prix Table Tennis

Grand Stand makes history

'The Legend' regains GPTT title; is inducted into the Hall of Fame

By Mike Crase

GPTT's Grand Stand made history this past Saturday, June 3, as it became the third most attended meet in league history, with nearly 40 people attending the event and the Hall of Fame ceremony, which was conducted earlier in the evening. We would like to thank Bank of the Mountaintains, Commercial Bank, Frederick and May Lumber Company and Giovanni's Pizza for their support and sponsorship of the event. The event was taped and will be released at a later date on DVD for purchase.

This was a different breed of event than I've ever seen. You could feel the electricity in the air. In the main event, GPTT Champion "The Terminator" Tyler Adkins lost to "The Legend" Byron Risner, who in turn became a 58-time GPTT Champion. Many people commented to me that they had never seen "The Legend" more focused. On June 3, he proved to everyone why he is a "Hall of Famer". "The Terminator" played tenaciously and gave his all in a gritty performance. Although he lost, he is without a doubt one of the classiest and most talented players to

ever play in GPTT. His future is sure to produce more GPTT Championships.

GPTT Doubles Champions "The One" Josh May and "The Terminator" lost their championships to "The Legend" and "The Hammer" Charles Standifer in a thriller that went to the fifth and final game of the series. This doubles rivalry should really heat up GPTT in the coming weeks.

Pride Champion "The Hammer" Charles Standifer retained his title against uber-tough "The Wall" Joel Nickell in a match that stole the show for the night. Joel had a block that would make the pros blush! Terrific match by both players that went to the final game of the set.

"The One" Josh May earned a Pride Title shot for next week by beating Scott Gevedon and Wes Turnbo. Scott's return is a definite boost to the league's roster as he is a solid 3000+ rated player.

Wes Turnbo did a great job playing and helping to run the event.

Pride Champion Andrew Lewis' three week reign came to an end as "Lo" Cody Risner picked up the championship by winning the series. "Lo" is now an 8-time Challenge Champion and showed streaks of brilliance in his win.

Morgan's Kayla Kelly 6th in state in long jump

Morgan County High's Kayla Kelly finished a remarkable track season by medaling at the KHSAA State Track Meet on June 2. Kayla was awarded a medal for her jump of 15'5" that earned her 6th place in the state.

A sophomore, Kelly was runnerup in the regional tournament in the long jump event with a jump of 16'1" which automatically qualified her for the state meet and ranked her 3rd in the state.

This season, Kayla placed 1st in all regular season meets in the long jump. In tournament competition, Kayla also excelled, placing 1st in the 15-team All Comers Meet at Russell with a jump of 16'4". She also won the EKC long jump event with a jump of 16'6", outjumping her nearest competitor by two feet.

At the Area 7 All Area Tournament in Boyd County, Kayla placed 2nd with a jump of 16'4". Due to her outstanding performances, Kayla was named to the Area 7 All Area Team and the Ashland Daily Independent All Area Team. Selection for berths on the all area teams are dependent on the vote of coaches from member schools, who choose individuals who had outstanding performances throughout the season.

This summer, Kayla plans to participate in summer track at Morehead State University, where she will compete against top athletes from across the state.

Kayla is the daughter of Rick Kelly of Crockett.

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Summer Program For Kids

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E.W. Chapman

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Bring we here the gold and purple,

Scarlet, blue, and lily white,

Tassels from the silver birches,

And the tulips gay and bright.

Swords no more are brightly flashing,

Foes no more our land molest;

Slumb'ring in the green-clad valley,

Low and peaceful is their rest.

Earth to them was full of promise,

Home and friends and life were dear;

But when loud the war-cry echoes,

Quick the Answer, "We are here!"

Swiftly now the years are rolling,

While the honor and the fame

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Bring bright flowers the graves to garland,

Let the sweetest music rise,

Let the stars and stripes be waving,

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Submitted by Carol Adkins

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By Lourinda Pelfrey

June 2 — It's been a long time since I wrote a newsletter, and it's hard to find news of interest. But here is a friendly hello to everyone and special prayers for those that are sick, lonely, or depressed in any way. Just keep looking up. The Son is still in control and His grace is sufficient for every need.

On May 24, Brenda and I drove to Morgan County. I spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day. Brenda spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Coffey on Pricy. We visited the Pelfrey Cemetery on Pelfrey Fork of Lacy Creek on Wednesday to take flowers. Thanks to George Robbins, the cemetery was mowed and looked very nice. We placed a small bouquet on all the graves that have no one close enough to visit. We also drove to Crockett and visited the Fannin Cemetery where the Lan Lyons family is resting. That is my father, mother, and many, many more are sleeping, waiting for the trumpet to sound. So be ye also ready.

Saturday, May 27, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Downs and boys, Kevin and Cole, went to Magoffin County on Pricey Creek Road visiting with Mr. and Ms. Mitchell Coffey and family and attending the memorial church service at the Roy Coffey Cemetery. They reported a large crowd. Dinner was served outside and everyone enjoyed it. Brenda Coffey went down and enjoyed the day Sunday with them.

My son-in-law, Arkie Williams from Dayton, Ohio, spent Wednesday night here and did a few handyman jobs for Brenda and me. Thanks for your

help.

My daughter, Susie Williams, is still not feeling too well and desires all your prayers. They have lots of folks, neighboring church members and family visit, including Mr. and Mrs. Brian Powers, Christopher and Katie Powers from Waynesville, Ohio. Everyone wishes Susie a speedy recovery.

Special prayers and get well wishes for my son, Bill Pelfrey and family of Dayton, Ohio, Debby, Ashley, and Linda Pelfrey. Take care. I love you.

I talk to my grandson, James Pelfrey, in St. Louis, Mo. He is still looking for work. He's going to Chicago, Ill., for an interview Monday in a large university in downtown Chicago. Good luck, James. I also keep in touch with my daughter, Fawna, and family. They are doing fine in Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Winford Robbins and Nell's family in Fairborn, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Pelfrey in Lexington, Ky., thanks for everything.

I enjoyed all the election news from Morgan County, seeing all the pictures. Mr. Kinner and staff did a good job.

Thanks to my friends, Linda Easley and Jean Groves, for their calls and short visits.

Everyone take care. Hope to write more soon.

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WORDS OF WISDOM

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Dye industry planned at Cannel City in 1915

Were there German spies in Cannel City during World War I? Were there secret scientists roaming the Piedmont area? Were Delaware investors trying to make a ‘fast buck’? Were they playing tennis at Cannel City in 1915?

By W. Lynn Nickell
PART 1

In 1991, while I was researching for a book that I was writing, *The Last Train to Jackson*, I was told by Chalmer Benton, Roy Vance and Ernest Allen about some German scientists coming to Cannel City to make dye.

It was a very secretive operation and they operated in that area next to the air compressor, Ernest said. In fact, I have a photo of his dad, Elijah, and Dorsey Peyton inside the “retort,” as it was called in those days. (Retort is a vessel used to distill or decompose substances by heat.)

I wish now that I had spent more time on this subject in my research. Now all three — Chalmer, Roy and Ernest — have passed away.

A few days ago I received a letter from Bill Minor, of Charlottesville, Va., whose father, Hugh Minor, was a time-keeper for the Kentucky Block & K Railroad. Bill had discovered some material about dye making in Cannel City on the internet and sent me a copy. He too had heard the story of Germans being in Cannel City prior to World War I.

Site Revisited

Remembering some huge concrete abutments in the Spring Branch area of Caney that Roy Vance had shown me, I decided to revisit the area. My first stop was Edwin Benton’s, one of Morgan County’s most knowledgeable individuals, especially about the Caney and Cannel City area. As usual, Edwin knew all about the Germans and their dye operation.

When Edwin and I arrived at the area where the German op-

eration as supposed to have taken place, the large concrete foundation columns we had remember had disappeared! He was as surprised as I was. Evidently, whomever owns the land probably decided to remove them.

The Rest of the Story

As Paul Harvey says, “Here is the rest of the story.”

In 1915, the Pearsite Company was incorporated in Delaware under a cloud of secrecy. It had a capitalization of \$2 million. The principal financial backer was Col. Henry P. Bope, vice president and general manager of sales for the Carnegie Steel Company of Pittsburgh. It seemed that the United States was dependent on European nations for their dyes. With war close at hand, the Pearsite company planned to establish a dye making process in the United States so we would be free of dependence on Europe.

Of course, they also planned to make a couple of bucks! In Sept. 1915, Dr. Thomas H. Norton, the U.S. expert on the dye industry announced that an invention by the Pearsite Company would revolutionize the industry and free the United States from dependence on Europe.

Anyone for Tennis?

In 1915, J. Morrow Campbell, from England, was the first chemist to come to Cannel City. He had a Dr. Gage, a German chemist from California, had validated the dye making process for the Pearsite Company. After arriving in Cannel City, Campbell carried out his research in a small lab close to the Hotel DeLancy.

Campbell was 65 years old at the time and spoke several languages. Being an avid tennis player, he had a tennis court built at Cannel City. (Bill F. Johnston, in his memories, state he was a



Dorsey Peyton (left) and Elijah Allen (right) posed in front of the “retort,” as it was called in Cannel City, Ky.

teenager at the time and helped Campbell build the tennis court. Evidently, while Campbell was not in his lab, he was playing tennis.

Would it not be interesting to know what people in Cannel City thought of someone hitting a little, fuzzy rubber ball over a net? That little tennis ball evidently evolved into something larger — a baseball, softball and basketball, all of which Cannel City has been noted for.

Dr. Gage came to Cannel City

a short time after Campbell. He began his operation on Spring Branch or Brushy Fork — I am not sure what you call that area. Anyway, this is where the stone foundations were that Edwin and I were looking for. According to Bill Johnston, Dr. Gage worked for the Pearsite Company, and it is not clear if Campbell worked for the company or on his own.

Next week: A dye processing plant is built in Cannel City, the bubble bursts, and the Germans disappear.

Area Agri-Tourism meeting set in West Liberty June 15

The Eastern Kentucky Foot-hills Eco-Agri-Tourism Corporation (FEAT) is a newly formed non-profit organization. A board of directors composed of local farmers, teachers, extension agents and business leaders governs the corporation. It is designed to serve six tobacco dependent, economically distressed counties in Eastern Kentucky — Carter, Elliott, Greenup, Menifee, Morgan and Wolfe. This cluster of geographically and culturally similar counties reach from the Ohio River in the north to the Red River Gorge in the south and had economies heavily dependent on burley tobacco production.

The primary objective of FEAT is to help farmers make the transition from a tobacco dependent economy to other cash crops or services that will generate on-farm income. An alternate income source may be derived from agriculture-based activities that will bring paying visitors to the family farm or will supply tourists and local clients alike with farm-grown produce or products.

Tourism is one of the largest industries in Kentucky and accounts for 175,000 jobs statewide. Kentucky is within one day’s drive of approximately 70 percent of the nation’s population making the state attractive to weekend tourists. Additionally, high gasoline prices are causing vacationers to plan shorter excursions closer to their own homes. Farmers willing to capitalize on existing assets or

develop new assets on their land can tap into the growing number of tourists who visit Kentucky each year.

Funding is available in the form of matching grants to help landowners develop viable agri-tourism ventures. A grant proposal may be submitted to secure funding for a maximum of \$50,000 per applicant. Grant monies may be used to develop agri-tourism businesses, such as, cabin rentals, pick-your-own small fruit plantings, hunting and fishing leases, hiking and wildlife viewing.

Members of the Kentucky Entrepreneur Coaches Institute (KECI) will provide additional assistance to farmer grant applications. KECI is a program at the University of Kentucky that has individuals in each county trained to help people formulate business plans. FEAT will also be working closely with the County Extension Service Agents.

Two public meetings will be held to familiarize area landowners with the opportunities available through agri-tourism. The first meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 15, 7:00 pm, at the Morgan County Community Center, 450 Prestonsburg Street, in West Liberty. The second meeting will be scheduled in the northern section of the project area and will be announced soon.

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HISTORICAL SKETCHES by Joe Nickell

THE DR. MAXEY HOUSE.
One of Morgan County’s pioneer physicians—Dr. Raney Maxey—lived at Ezel in the western limits of the county. He has been the subject of earlier Sketches (see Acknowledgments); this one focuses on his former home.

Dr. Maxey’s first name was almost certainly an Appalachian corruption of Rene, the name of his grandfather Rev. Rene Chastain. The Chastains and Maxeys were descendants of Huguenots, French Protestant reformers of the 16th and 17th centuries who fled Catholic persecution.

Raney Maxey was born November 10, 1805, the sixth child and fourth son of Thomas and Lydia (Chastain) Maxey, who were among the pioneer settlers of eastern Kentucky. Lydia died giving birth to Raney. Motherless, the children were dispersed to various families, a common custom of the time. Raney was reportedly taken in by a childless couple, Joseph Bonduant and his wife, who were also of Huguenot ancestry and had intermarried with the Chastains and Maxeys.

Raney acquired 150 acres of land on Grassy Creek in Morgan County in 1828, and the following year wed Mary Ann Gillespie. The couple eventually had nine children. At some point they moved to Ezel.



Dr. Raney Maxey, pioneer Morgan County physician, lived in this house until his death in 1869. It stood until the mid 1970s. (Photo by Lucille N. Haney.)

Maxey was both a Christian minister and physician, being listed on the 1850 federal census as “Raney Maxey, M.D.” His office was a small log building in the corner of his yard, not far from the house.

The house may also have been log, given that his office was. (It was built long before Maxey’s death in 1869 when log structures were still common. In the accompanying photograph, note the house’s boxy shape, and its covering of siding, all of which could be consistent with a log house.)

Be that as it may, the picture was made in 1970 by Maxey’s great-great granddaughter (and my aunt), Lucille (Nickell) Haney of Lexington, Ky. She was in the Ezel area with my father, the late Wendell Nickell, and Dillard Murphy, a local resident. Dad had suggested they include Dillard because of his knowledge of the area. Lucille, our family’s main genealogist, was looking for Raney’s and his wife’s graves. (Those were later discovered in a small cemetery on the old Boyd Anderson farm.)

However, at one point while my father was driving, Dillard remarked that an old house they were approaching had been the Dr. Maxey residence. They stopped, and Lucille snapped the photo. At that time the log office was gone, and a year later—when Lucille returned—so was the house.

This is the only known picture of it—a testimony to luck. Of course Lucille had helped make the luck possible, and she had capitalized on it when it occurred. But it represents good luck nonetheless.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS: Interviews with Lucille Nickell Haney November 11-12 and 28, 2005. Photo is copied from her original. For more on Raney Maxey, see Joe Nickell, “Historical Sketches” of November 8, 2001 (“Dr. Raney Maxey”) and December 6, 2001 (“Lost Portrait”), *Licking Valley Courier*.

DO YOU HAVE AN OPINION?

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Rogers encourages fire depts. to apply for staffing funds

WASHINGTON, DC — U.S. Congressman Hal Rogers (KY-05) is encouraging fire departments throughout southern and eastern Kentucky to take advantage of another opportunity to apply for federal fire grant funding this year.

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security is now accepting applications for SAFER grants (Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response), which support programs geared toward hiring firefighters, and recruiting and retaining volunteer firefighters. The deadline for submitting application materials is 5:00 pm (EST) on Friday, June 30, 2006.

"The goal of the SAFER program is to help fire departments attain around-the-clock staffing, which assures that communities have adequate protection," said Rogers. "I hope all of our fire departments will take advantage of this competitive grant program."

The SAFER program awards grants directly to volunteer, combination, and career fire departments to help increase their firefighter staffing levels. An application and information about the SAFER program may be obtained by visiting the DHS website at <http://www.firegrantsupport.com/safer/>. Information and assistance can also be obtained by calling 1-866-274-0960 or emailing firegrants@dhs.gov. Fire Departments are also welcome to contact Congressman Rogers' Washington, DC office at 202-225-4601.

Rogers is chairman of the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Homeland Security.

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Memory Hill & Roundabout

By Hazel B. Craft
June 5--The past two weeks have been exciting and interesting ones and sad ones. Sorry to hear of the passing of one of our retired teachers--Mable Amyx, wife of Jerald Amyx, and a Morgan County teacher for 34 years.

When the reunion was held at the Cannel City School May 27, a large crowd was present. Two of our oldest retired teachers were present--George Lacy and Homer Fletcher. These two and Hazel Steele are the three oldest, retired teachers. I probably am the next oldest--don't know for sure. Anyway, it was a great time. This will be the last time the reunion will be held in this beloved building which holds so many precious memories. I had planned to get a picture of all my former students at Cannel City. I just didn't know how to get them all together.

I was so thrilled to meet many of them. I would like them to send me a recent photograph to be placed in the school complex. From what I have been informed the present Cannel City students will be transferred to the new building, at Grear, after the Christmas vacation. So many ask, "What will happen to the old building when it no longer is a school?" Hopefully the building will be used for a good community purpose. I taught there for 20 years and have great memories of my experiences at Cannel City. Now, my desire is to collect as much material as possible depicting Cannel City School. If anyone has anything pertaining to the school, I sure would appreciate getting copies. Wardie taught there several years before becoming principal for 14 years. He retired in 1969 and then I taught at Sellersburg, Indiana, before retiring in 1982, and then substituted 11 years.

Best of wishes are extended to the sick and shutins. Some that I am aware of include Loretta Cox Hebb, Rossetti Craft Adams, Charles Benton, helena Blankenship, Julia Benton, Hilda Benton, who is now recovering from recent surgery at U.K. Hospital. She will probably be released Tuesday of this week. Also a great friend to Morgan County, Juanita Frederick. Haven't heard lately about her condition.

I always enjoy the Benton Reunion. This year a nice crowd was present. Thanks to Stanley Benton for all the work on the life of his grandmother, Barilla Ellen Morris Benton, April 21, 1880 -- Oct. 22, 1961. I remember her very well. In fact, I sat up with her a night or so before her passing so that the family could get some rest. She spent a very peaceful night. I especially remember her husband, Franklin, who retired in 1941 (I think that is the date). I didn't have a school that year but I did go to the Morgan County teachers' meeting at West Liberty. I remember very distinctly him walking up to me and telling me he was retiring and that I could have his position for first and second grades at Caney. I was so thrilled. What a great year that was. The students he had in the first grade, now second graders had had such a great start when I received them as second graders. I knew then and there that he was a great teacher. In 1945 the school burned. I talked to my sister, Joy Anderson Pisciotto, the other day. She said she remembered that occasion very well. One thing she especially remembered was me carrying out a new school desk just minutes before flames encircled the entire building. My guardian angel (I do believe in angels) came to my rescue. I have some more information which I hope to include in a later newsletter about this little school.

Hester Arnett Burton, Wardie and I were the teachers when the building burned. If anyone else wants to supply more information about this sad occasion please send it to me. I am making a scrapbook and anything I receive will be put in the Caney Scrapbook.

Recently Georgia and Estill Fugatge, also Allene Fugate spent a few days at Caney. They came in especially for the Cannel City Alumni meeting. Georgia, Estill and I spent one day in Breathitt County visiting three cemeteries--the Field Branch Cemetery on Lower Taulbee Fork where so many Taulbees are buried. Guess you readers know that my mother was a Taulbee, daughter of Daniel and Malinda Carpenter Taulbee, granddaughter of Silas and Catherine Fletcher Taulbee. I told Georgia she went back to the Bachs through Catherine. In fact, I do too, in fact I go back to the Bachs three ways. At this cemetery we met several connected to our family. Sorry we didn't have time to remain for the services. We then went to the big cemetery containing four family cemeteries--the Carpenter and Taulbee where so many of our relatives are buried. One of the first ones buried in the Taulbee section was William A. Taulbee, my great-

great grandfather who paid taxes on 10,000 acres on Frozen Creek. he is the one who killed a panther after the panther almost killed him. One of these days I will have the panther story in The Licking Valley Courier. it is the story my grandfather, Daniel Taulbee, told Wardie a few years before he died. My! My! So much history connected with these early pioneers.

Something about the Carpenter section where my great grandfather, George Carpenter, is buried. At one time there was an inscription that said "A True Republican."

The last cemetery we visited is the one on the Wilson Fork of Frozen where several of Estill's family are buried. The Fugate family takes care of this beloved cemetery, and see that it is well cared for.

The next day we visited the cemetery at Woodsbend where so many that we know are buried including Dexter and Raymond Benton, Lonnie Benton and his daughter, Ernie and Bertha Frisby, Loretta Spencer Frisby, and other members of the Frisby family. Georgia is never satisfied when she comes back unless she goes to Loretta's grave. They were great friends. She still talks about what a great cook Loretta was, especially her pies and cakes. Dee and Bertha Spencer were great neighbors to the Crafts. Wardie often remarked what great friends that family was when in 1935 Wardie's mother and several members of the family had typhoid fever. In fact that was the year Wardie's mother, Martha Ellen, and his brother, Fred, died with typhoid, and that was the year when so many had typhoid in this section.

Edwin Benton reported that there was a nice service on the Morris Cemetery. He said there was a good crowd in remembrance of Chad Chester's daughter. Bro. Mike Frisby took charge of the service.

Now some information about the Benton reunion. A large crowd was present. The oldest was Hazel Craft--I am always the oldest in a crowd. Some think I am older than 89. Sure can't believe that I am that old. The youngest was Hillman Lacy (parents Cindy and Bryan). The ones that came the farthest were Buford and Barbara Chester. the ones present that were married the longest was Charles and Ethel Benton. They were married 59 years ago. There were eleven who passed away during the past year. They include Elizabeth Chester Carey, 1961-2005; wilma Benton Howard, 1915-2005; Harold Hammond, 1929-2005; Paul Davis, 1950-2005; Gladys Benton Pelfrey, 1910-2005; Betty Steele, 1936-2005; Earl Short, 1935-2005; Ruth Short Miller, Lonnie Taulbee, Billy Benton, 1934-2006; and Wendell Gevedon, 1950-2006.

Two of Kash Bach's daughters paid Memory Hill a visit. I enjoyed them so much. The daughters were Nancy Bach and Dora Bach Johnson. Nancy was so pleased with the two books which I have for sale for Tilden Bach--Book I and Book II on Bach genealogy--tracing the family back into Germany. He found out that we were distantly related to Johann Sebastian Bach, the great musician. He is now working on the third book bringing in later generations. There are great books. Everyone that sees them are quite impressed. I still have a very few of them for sale. Book I is \$35; and Book II is \$40. In fact Book II has over 700 pages. The proceeds from the books that I am selling will be used to erect another marble slab depicting Tilden's version that he has spent much, much time and effort to locate the latest information. If interested contact me and pick them up to save postage.

Nancy Bach also paid \$100 to become a life member. The other sister, Dora Bach Johnson donated Baby Pigs, One, Two, Three"--such an interesting version of "The Three Little Pigs". The illustrations by C.T. Dunaway are outstanding. This book sells for \$15. If interested contact me and I can get you a copy. I am so thrilled to be related to these gifted ladies.

I was so thrilled to meet Eric Hatton when he came to decorate his uncle Chalmer's grave. I had him in first grade.

By the way, the several who have relatives buried in Memory Hill Cemetery are not making contributions. The ones who have made a contribution include Betty Welch, Rossetti Adams, Corda Perry, Geraldine Benton, Georgia Fugate, and Connie Cintron. To keep the cemetery in good shape it needs to be mowed every 10 days. This is a beautiful cemetery. Someway, somehow the cemetery will be properly cared for.

Again there is not space for the annual and life memberships. Also more information about visitors to Memory Hill. These will be included in the next news.

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